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Sahanatien, April, 19th. 09.

We, the undersigned send a petition to you to take our school from the Meth. Missionary Society. to your own care.

We believe our school affairs will run more smoothly if it is under the care of the Dept.

Chief Napoleon Commandant:
Fx Tavenoeun
John x White
Peter Stock
Paul Laforce
Peter x Jacob
Isaiah Sahanatien
Mitchel News
Charles White
Daniel Commandant.
Peter Strength
Moses Thompson
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Parry Sound Indian Agency.

April 2nd 1909

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sir

I beg to inclose you. a Petition from the Chief and members of the Watha Band Gibson Reserve.
in regards to the Control of the Indian School. on the Gibson Reserve I have no hesitation. in Endorsing their request.

Hoping the same will meet your approval.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant.

D. J. Macdonald
Supt.

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Sahanatien. Ont.
April 27th 1909.

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Sir,

I beg to inform you that at a Council of the Walpa Band held last night it was resolved: that the Department be informed that the Band are fully satisfied that the teacher should be appointed by the Methodist Missionary Society, and that the Department be requested to examine with care all the names on a recent petition to the contrary, many of the signatories having signed under a misapprehension of the contents and now desiring to withdraw their names.

I remain, Sir,
Yours respectfully
Louis Sahanatien

The Secretary.
Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

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Sahanatien, Ont.
April 27th, 1909.

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I remain, Sir,

Yours respectfully,

(Sgd.) Louis Sahanatien.

The Rev. Dr. Sutherland,
Wesley Buildings,
Toronto.

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THE GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church.

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 15 1908

Dictated - Dr. S. *Toronto,* April 30th, 1908.

Ex'd.

Dear Sir,-

I have received within a day or two a letter from ex-Chief Louis Sahanatien, of the Gibson Reserve, embodying what purports to be a resolution passed by the Band in Council respecting the appointment of a teacher for their school. It is probable that the resolution has been forwarded to you through another channel, but lest they may have neglected to do so I enclose a copy of Mr. Sahanatien's letter. I have informed him that while the final authority in the appointment of a teacher rests with the Department at Ottawa, yet they have accorded to us the privilege of nominating suitable persons, and that where the qualifications are regarded as satisfactory our nominations are always confirmed.

I am,

Your obedient servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, May 5, 1909.

Rec'd.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ult., inclosing a copy of a resolution passed by the Gibson Band in council respecting the appointment of teachers for their school.

In reply I beg to say that the petition referred to in the resolution was received by the Department and the Indians have been informed that the nomination of teachers for this school has been conceded to your Society but that you would be asked to obtain in future a teacher whose duties will be distinct from those of the Missionary.

Information has reached the Department to the effect that the wife of the present resident Missionary makes it difficult for any teacher to remain in charge of the school, and it is considered that it would be to the advantage of the school if the teacher's duties were clearly defined and the Missionary restricted

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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restricted from interfering, so long as the school is properly conducted. If he has any fault to find, he should report the matter to you and not take it upon himself to censure the teacher.

In this case the person performing the duties has been ancillary to Mr. Kendall, who signs all returns as if he was the actual teacher. The Department considers that this condition of affairs should no longer exist and would be pleased to have your assurance that it will be discontinued in future.

Your obedient Servant,

D.C. SCOTT

Secretary.

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I Miller

Ottawa, May 5, 1909.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th ult., inclosing a petition signed by a number of the members of the Gibson band with reference to the appointment of teachers for their school.

In reply I beg to say that the privilege of nominating a teacher for this school has been conceded to the Methodist Missionary Society, but that Society will be asked to obtain in future a teacher whose duties will be distinct from those of the Missionary.

Upon receipt of their reply you will be further advised.

Your obedient Servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary.

D.F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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METHODIST MISSION ROOMS
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT.

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Dictated - Dr. S. Toronto, May 7th, 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS MAY 8 1909 RECEIVED

F. 23.

Dear Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 6th instant #152195/1 respecting the Indian School at Gibson, I would say that in all probability some of the complications have arisen from the fact that the missionary, Mr. Kendall, was not familiar with the course of procedure that ought to be taken. As the number of Indians at Gibson is so small we have always felt that the duties of missionary and teacher should be discharhed by one and the same person, and this was the expectation when Mr. Kendall was appointed. But either because he did not consider himself qualified as a teacher, or more probably because he disliked the routine of a teacher's work, he employed a teacher, whom he paid out of his own pocket, and took upon himself the responsibility of making the reports, etc.

SCHOOLS BRANCH MAY 11 1909

It is among the possibilities that Mr. Kendall may be transferred to another field in June next, but in the meantime I will communicate with him respecting his relation to the teacher with a view to avoid future complications.

Your obedient servant,

A. Sutherland
General Secretary.

Secretary, Department of
Indian Affairs, Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, May 14, 1909.

Ex'd.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th inst. in further reference to the Gibson school, and in reply I beg to say that the Department will be pleased to hear from you again on this subject as soon as a decision is arrived at.

your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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Ottawa, May 26, 1909.

Ex'd

Sir,-,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th ult. in further reference to the nomination by the Methodist Church of the teacher of the Gibson school and the petition received from certain Indians of the band, asking that the school be removed from the charge of that Church.

In reply I beg to say that the Department is in communication with the Rev. Dr. Sutherland, and it is hoped that a solution satisfactory to all concerned will be arrived at.

Your obedient Servant,

J.D. McLEAN,

Secretary.

Mr. Louis Sahanatien,
Sahanatien P.O.,
Ont.

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The Methodist Church.

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUL 19 1909

Dictated - Dr. S. Toronto, July 14th, 1909.

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Dear Sir,-

At the present time there are four Indian Schools located on Missions connected with the Methodist Church where experienced teachers are required, namely, Gibson, Moraviantown, Chemong Lake and Christian Island, which latter school will be vacant at the end of the present calendar year.

I have applications from some four or five different parties, some of whom, I think, would make good supplies for the schools in question. Before submitting their names for sppointment however, it is important that I should know what will be the limit in regard to salary. The parties I speak of are married men, and most of them have had a number of years' experience as teachers in Public Schools. I do not know as yet what salaries they have been receiving, but I doubt if it would be practicable to secure teachers of their class for less than $500 (Five Hundred Dollars) with a house to live in.

Hoping to make satisfactory nominations in the near future, I am,

Your obedient servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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E'r'd.

Ottawa, 22nd July, 1909.

Rev. Sir.-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant asking what will be the limit in regard to the salary of teachers for the schools at Gibson, Moraviantown, Chemong Lake, and Christian Island. In reply I beg to say that the salary will of course depend on the qualifications. The Department will be prepared to pay $400. to Gibson, $500. to Moraviantown, $450. to Chemong Lake, and $400. to Christian Island. The Department has no means of providing a residence at any of these places, with the exception of Chemong Lake, in regard to which you are being communicated with.

Your obedient servant,

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Secretary.

A. Sutherland, Esq., D.D.,
Gen'l Secy., Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto, Ont.

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COPY,

For eight years Mr. J. Buchanan taught the Senior department of Moosomin Public School during which time our school stood among the highest in the District.

Mr. Buchanan had not only his own department in charge, but he also taught the mathematics and the commercial subjects in the High School.

His pupils always passed their examinations very creditably.

He is not only a first-class teacher but a citizen whose moral character is above reproach.

(Sgd.) A. Saxis,

Sec. School Board.

Moosomin, Ap. 6/02.

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Mr. Buchanan held the position of Principal of Belmore School for over four years, and to say that he gave satisfaction is saying only a small part of what should be said in his favor. He is remarkably well adapted for the duties of his profession and seems to have the faculty of instilling into his pupils a love for work.

We regret exceedingly that he has severed his connection with our school.

(Sgd.) P! Ross,

Belmore, Aug 12/89. Sec. School Board.

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This is to certify that Mr. J. Buchanan taught for several years in my Inspectorate and although he had a very large school I always found his pupils well up to the standard.

Mr. Buchanan is an earnest, faithful, and skilful teacher, and I take great pleasure in recommending him to any Board of Trustees, with the assurance that he is sure to succeed.

(Sgd) A. Campbell,

Inspector.

Kincardine, Sep.10/90.

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TORONTO.

The Methodist Church.

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT.

Dictated - Dr. S. *Toronto,* July 22, *1909.*

PAM 340167

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that we have an application from Mr. John Buchanan, of Toronto, for appointment as teacher at the Indian School at Gibson. Mr. Buchanan is a married man, forty-eight years of age, has but one daughter, 21 years of age, who, I suppose, will not reside on the Reserve should the appointment be made. Mr. Buchanan holds a second class certificate grade A, obtained in 1880 from the Normal School at Toronto. He has had eighteen years'experience as a teacher in various public schools though not engaged in that profession at the present time. I am informed, also, that Mr. Buchanan's wife has been a very successful worker among young people, and is an excellent singer and player. I enclose copies of some of Mr. Buchanan's testimonials, and need only say further that all the information I have received concerning him is of a favorable character.

INDIAN SCHOOLS BRANCH JUL 27 1909

An important matter remains to be settled, however, namely, the amount of salary that we will be authorized to promise Mr. Buchanan should his appointment be approved by the Department. I presume it is fully understood that competent teachers cannot be secured at the present time on the same scale of salaries that were paid ten or even five years ago.

Mr. Buchanan's name is the only one that I am prepared to submit at this date. I am in correspondence with several others but do not think that any one of them would be more suitable than the person in question.

I am your obedient servant,

A. Sutherland
General Secretary.

Secretary, Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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PKH

Ottawa, July 27, 1909.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd inst., nominating Mr. John Buchanan, of Toronto, for the position of teacher of the Gibson Indian school.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will accept Mr. Buchanan's services and in letter of the 22nd inst. you were informed that the salary would be increased to $400.00 per annum.

Mr. Buchanan should be ready to open the school on the third Monday in August.

Your obedient Servant,

DUNCAN C. SCOTT

Secretary.

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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"The Parsonage."

Parry Sound
~~Huntsville~~, Ont.,

Sept 13. 09

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The Deputy Superintendent
Indian Department
Ottawa

Sir

Dear Sir.

Regarding the school on the Gibson Indian Reserve, Dr Sutherland and myself (as Chairman of the District) have advertised several times and in different papers for a teacher, 2nd Class, and so far we have failed. We had accepted a good teacher, 2nd Class, Prof. but at the last he failed us also.

I am in correspondence with another

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but have not his answer.

The Salary paid being small Hard. Somewhat in arrear.

Will you consent for the time being to my opening the School with Miss Decaire as a supply teacher until we secure one the understanding being that she is only a supply and will be replaced by a regular teacher at as early a date as possible? Would there be any hope of increasing the grant for a teacher with 2nd Class Normal Standing?

Your humble servt
C.W. Watch

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Returned to School

Ottawa, September 25, 1909.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th inst., and in reply I beg to say that the Department is not disposed to consent even to the temporary employment of Miss Decaire as teacher of the Gibson Indian school.

Taking into consideration the small number of pupils in attendance at this school, the Department is of opinion that $400.00 is a very fair salary and is not prepared to increase it.

In the interests of the Indians this school should be reopened with much more loss of time, and should you not be able to submit the name of a teacher with proper qualifications, accompanied by testimonials, within a reasonable period, the Department will feel constrained to make an appointment itself, as was done last year.
Be good enough to acknowledge this letter.

Your obedient Servant,

D.C. MCLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. C.W. Watch,
The Parsonage,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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PKH

Ottawa, September 27, 1909.

Rev. Sir,-

On the 16th inst. the Department received a communication from Rev. C.W. Watch, Parry Sound, in which he asked permission to place Miss Decaire temporarily in charge of the Gibson school.

As the matter was urgent Mr. Watch was written to direct and I new beg to forward a copy of the letter sent him for your information.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,

General Secretary,

Methodist Missionary Society,

Toronto, Ont.

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"The Parsonage."

Parry Sound

~~Huntsville~~, Ont.,

Sept 27. 04

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 28 1904

J. D. M. Lean Esq

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Secretary Indian Department

Ottawa

Dear Sir

I am in receipt yours of the 25th Re Gibson Indian School, and you speak of the Salary as $400.00. If the Salary has been raised to this amount I have never heard of it, and I do not think the Missionary Society is aware of it. I have been offering the old grant of $300.00 and offering to supplement it with the use of the Mission House, If the Salary is now $400.00 the problem I think is

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[redacted] is solved, and I shall be able to find an acceptable one in the position,

I might say I have accepted applications from two Normal Educated Teachers but the last three have failed to appear on the Reserve,

I should really like to know if the Grant from the Department is $400. If so I can make an appointment at once & think I

Yours truly

E. W. Walsh

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Ottawa, September 30, 1909.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th inst. in further reference to the appointment of a teacher for the Gibson Indian school.

In reply I beg to say that on July 23, last, the Rev. Dr. Sutherland was advised that the Department would be prepared to pay a salary of $400.00 to a qualified teacher for the Gibson school, and it will adhere to this offer, but he or she must have professional qualifications.

When submitting applications to the Department full particulars must be given as to age, certificates, previous experience, etc. Testimonials should also accompany applications as the Department has not time to deal with references.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. C.W. Watch,
The Parsonage,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Ottawa, October 2Ist, I909.

Rev. Sir,

Referring to official letter of the 30th ultimo, and previous correspondence, the Department would like to know whether you have as yet been successful in obtaining the services of a teacher for the Gibson Indian School.

If not the Department will be obliged to take steps to fill the vacancy, as it is not desirable that the school should remain closed any longer than possible.

Your obedient servant,

STEWART

Asst. Secretary.

Rev. C. W. Watch,
The Parsonage,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Ottawa, October 21, 1909.

Rev. Sir,-

Referring to official letter of the 21st ult. I beg to advise you that no word has been received from Rev. Mr. Watch as to whether he has been successful in obtaining the services of a competent teacher for the Gibson Indian school.

It is most desirable that this vacancy should be filled at an early date, as it has existed since the summer holidays, and Mr. Watch has been asked to-day to report the results of his enquiries and advised that, if he has not seured ~~xhm~~ a teacher, the Department will be obliged to take steps with that object in view.

The previous teacher, Miss Forrest, gave good satisfaction to the Indians and her dismissal before a successor had been obtained would now appear to have been premature and not in the best interests of the Indians, for the safeguarding of which the Department is responsible.

Your obedient Servant,

Asst. Secretary.

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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Parry Sound

Huntsville, Ont., Oct. 26 04

S. Stewart Esq

Asst Secretary. Indian Department

Ottawa.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 28 1904
Ex'd

Dear Sir

In reply to yours of 21st inst re a teacher for the Gibson Reserve. The applications have been forwarded to the Mission Rooms, Toronto, and will with the Testimonials from the applicant be sent on to your office.

The School will be opened on Monday next.

I have advertised in several papers, and had a running Advertisement in one daily, and while I have received many replies, and in two cases have engaged Male teachers, offering extra inducements to the Salary, yet at the last they pleaded hopples at their Work

However we are sending in a good teacher of some experience, and therefore more likely to remain.

I am Sir Yours Sincerely

C W Watch

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METHODIST MISSION ROOMS
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church.

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT.

Ex'd

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 29 1909

Dictated - Dr. S.

Toronto, October 28th, 1909.

353476

Dear Sir:-

I have just received an application from Miss Myrtle I. Taylor, of Parry Sound, for the position of teacher of the Gibson Indian School. It is the best application we have yet received, and unless something more promisiong comes to hand very soon it would seem to be desirable that Miss Taylor be appointed for the time being. I enclose her application and copies of her testimonials, as I presume she will wish to keep the originals, and will be glad to learn as soon as possible if her appointment is approved of by the Department, and what the salary will be for the rest of the current year.

I am,

Your obedient servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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METHODIST INDIAN SCHOOLS

Teacher's Application 353478

NOTE.—The Applicant is expected to answer fully and explicitly the Questions below, and to forward this Application promptly, with Testimonials, to "The General Secretary, Methodist Mission Rooms, Toronto."

To the General Secretary, Toronto:—

I hereby make application for the position of Teacher of the Indian Day School at Gibson. If appointed I will discharge the duties involved to the best of my ability, and will conform to the Regulations of the Missionary Society and of the Indian Department respecting Indian Schools.

Name Myrtle J. Taylor *Post Office Address* Parry Sound, Ont.

Sex female *Age* 24 *Health* very good *Nationality* Canadian

How long resident in this country? — ~~*Married or*~~ *Unmarried?*

If married, give the sex and age of each child, if any

Grade and date of Certificate Third Class - 1900

From what Institution? Parry Sd. Model School *How long have you taught?* 3 1/2 years

In what Schools? Waubamic, Falding, Maple Lake, in Parry Sd. Dist. Ont.

Can you lead or instruct in singing? yes *Can you play on any instrument?* yes

Have you taught in Sunday School? yes *How long?* —

Of what Church are you a member? Methodist

Name and Address of present and previous Pastor Rev. Walch, Parry Sound
Mr. Dunlop, Bracebridge, Ont.

Name and Address of References as to character and ability Sheriff Armstrong of Parry Sound, Rev. J. Grant B.A of Orillia, Ont.

If appointed, when can you be ready? Immediately

Any additional facts or circumstances

Date Oct 22nd 1909 *Signed* Myrtle J. Taylor

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Wauhamik, Oct. 12/09.

353476

To whom it may concern:-

This is to certify that Miss Myrtle Taylor taught our school one year successfully, giving perfect satisfaction to the trustees. Any school board requiring a teacher will do well to engage Miss Taylor.

(Signed) - Henry Harris.

Ex. Secty.

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Orillia, Ont., 19th Oct. 1909.

To whom it may concern:-

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I am well acquainted with Miss Myrtle I. Taylor of Parry Sound. She has taught for 3½ years in my Inspectorate; has done excellent work; and was well liked as a woman and as a teacher. She has a pleasing, Lady like manner and makes friends wherever she teaches. I can heartily recommend her to any School Board that wishes a competent and reliable teacher.

(Signed) Geo. Grant, B.A.
I.P.S.
West Parry Sound
District.

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Ottawa, October 30th, 1909.

Rev. Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th instant, forwarding an application from Miss Myrtle I. Taylor, of Parry Sound, for the position of teacher of the Gibson Indian School, together with testimonials as to her fitness, and in reply I beg to say that, in compliance with your request, Miss Taylor may be appointed provisionally. As Miss Taylor is not possessed of any higher certficate than Third Class the Department considers that she would be fairly paid at the rate of $350.00 per annum, with the prospect of an increase should her services be satisfactory and she remains at the school.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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Ex'd

Ottawa, October 30th, 1909.

Rev. Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th instant, in reference to the appointment of a teacher for the Gibson Indian School, and in reply I beg to say that the Rev. Dr. Sutherland has forwarded an application from Miss Myrtle I. Taylor, of Parry Sound, and he has been informed that she may be provisionally appointed at a present salary of $350.00 per annum.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. C. W. Watch,
The Parsonage,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Ex'd

Ottawa, November 2nd, 1909.

Sir,

I beg to advise you that the Department has approved the appointment of Miss Myrtle I. Taylor as teacher of the Gibson Indian School. Miss Taylor will take charge at once and her salary will be at the rate of $350.00 per annum.

for DCL

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MCLEAN

Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Muncey, Ont. Oct. 27, 1909.

To Whom it May Concern:-

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This is to certify that Mrs. E. Yarwood has been an acquaintance of the undersigned for two years and two months.

During this acquaintance I have learned that Mrs. Yarwood has had considerable experience in teaching public school in the counties of Elgin and Norfolk, and I am of the opinion that her teaching would be accompanied with success. Mrs. Yarwood is a very successful Sabbath School teacher and an earnest Christian worker. The influence of her life would be decidedly felt in any community.

Taking into consideration her experience in teaching and the fact that during the last two years she has lived in contact with Indian children, would consider Mrs. Yarwood especially suited to take charge of an Indian school and would therefore heartily recommend her to the position for which she has made application.

(Sgd) Ambrose Dowswell.

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THE GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church.

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT.

Toronto, November 1, 190 8.

Dictated - Dr. S.

Ex'd

Dear Sir:-

353717

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of October 26th, referring to the appointment of Miss Myrtle I. Taylor to the position of teacher in the Gibson Indian School. I regret having to report that word has reached me this morning to the effect that Miss Taylor has decided not to accept the appointment, and I now enclose the application of Mrs. Mary L. Yarwood, of Muncey, Ontario, together with a copy of a testimonial from Mr. Ambrose Dowswell, whom I do not know, but think he may be connected with the Mount Elgin Institute. This is the only application that we have in hand at present, but I am advertising extensively and hope to receive others. If we cannot do better, be good enough to intimate if Mrs. Yarwood will be accepted as a temporary supply.

I am,

Your obedient servant,

J.M.

A. Sutherland
General Secretary.

The Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
Ontario.

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METHODIST INDIAN SCHOOLS

Teacher's Application

NOTE.—The Applicant is expected to answer fully and explicitly the Questions below, and to forward this Application promptly, with Testimonials, to "The General Secretary, Methodist Mission Rooms, Toronto."

To the General Secretary, Toronto:—

I hereby make application for the position of Teacher of the Indian Day School at Gibson. If appointed I will discharge the duties involved to the best of my ability, and will conform to the Regulations of the Missionary Society and of the Indian Department respecting Indian Schools.

Name Mary L. Garwood *Post Office Address* Muncey Ontario

Sex Female *Age* 35 *Health* Fair *Nationality* Canadian

How long resident in this country? All my life *Married or Unmarried?* Married

If married, give the sex and age of each child, if any None

Grade and date of Certificate Third Professional (expired) 2nd Non-Professional time

From what Institution? Normal College *How long have you taught?* Three years in Public Schools

In what Schools? No. 2 Bayham No. 4 Tasmania

Can you lead or instruct in singing? Yes *Can you play on any instrument?* Yes

Have you taught in Sunday School? Yes *How long?* 15 to 20 Years

Of what Church are you a member? Methodist

Name and Address of present and previous Pastor Rev. J. R. McVitty Muncey Ont.
Rev. T. T. George Wardsville Ont.

Name and Address of References as to character and ability Rev. J. R. McVitty Principal of Mt. Elgin Ind. Boarding Sch. Muncey Ont.
A. Dowell (Teacher) Muncey Ont.

If appointed, when can you be ready? In November

Any additional facts or circumstances Have been engaged in my present occupation of instructing Indian pupils in house-keeping &c. in Mt. Plain Industrial Institute for over two years and feel that I understand the Indian disposition quite well enough to be of considerable help in the Missionary or any Reserve.

Date Oct. 19th 1904 *Signed* Mary L. Garwood

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These blanks will be filled at the Mission Rooms.

INDIAN SCHOOLS

Teacher's Application

Name Mary L. Garrioch

Address Mimey. Ont

When Received Oct 25/09

Accepted

When Appointed

To what School

Salary, $ ..... *per* .....

Began work .....

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This application was omitted from Mr. Sutherland's letter of yesterday, November 1st.

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NOV 3 1909

"The Parsonage."

Parry Sound
Huntsville, Ont.,
Nov. 1st 09

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Secretary Indian Department
Ottawa.

353716

Dear Sir,

I regret to say that Miss M.J. Taylor declines the Gibson School. On the advice of your office that the salary would be $400.00 I stated that in my advertisements, and had arranged for the teacher to be boarded at the Missionhouse for $10.00 a month, allowing the Missionary some little compensation for this favor, and I dont think I can secure a teacher for anyless Salary.

I telegraphed a Mrs Yarwood of Mt Elgin Industrial School, Muncey who had applied but at the time had not received her testimonials, and she replies she can go to Gibson on the 15th. But she will not accept less than $400.00 She holds a 2nd Class Non Professional and 3rd Class Professional.

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It will Spanish be impossible to do anything better than this, Small Country Schools are paying higher Salaries, and the Certificates are not in a great many Cases as good as these offering for Gibson.

I am writing Mrs Harwood that I will let her know if she will be required as soon as I receive instructions from Your Department or the Mission Rooms, I do not know where I could look for another teacher.

I am Yours Sincerely
C. W. Walsh

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Ex'd

Ottawa, November 4th, 1909.

Rev. Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the1st instant, in reference to the appointment of Miss M. I. Taylor as teacher of the Gibson School and referring to the application made by Mrs. Yarwood, who is at present at the Mount Elgin Industrial School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will pay $400.00 per annum to Miss Taylor, but if she will not accept the position at this salary Mrs. Yarwood may be temporarily engaged at the same salary.

You will be good enough to communicate with Miss Taylor at once and obtain her decision before taking steps to engage Mrs. Yarwood.

Your obedient servant,

J.D.McLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. C. W. Watch,

The Parsonage,

Parry Sound, Ont.

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Ex'd

Ottawa, November 4th, 1909.

Rev. Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st instant, advising the Department that Miss Taylor has declined to accept the position of teacher at the Gibson Indian School and enclosing an application from Mrs. Yarwood, of Muncey, for the position.

In reply I beg to say that Rev. Mr. Watch, of Parry Sound, has also advised the Department of Miss Taylor's decision, but he has been written to and instructed to offer her $400.00 per annum. If she will not accept this salary Mrs. Yarwood may be engaged temporarily. The latter's salary will be at $400.00 per annum.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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THE GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church.

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

Toronto, November 4th. 1909.

354043

Dear Sir:- Gibson Indian School.

I have just received a letter from the Rev, C. W. Watch, who is in charge of the District within which the Gibson school is situated, from which I take the following extract.

> "This Bibson school problem is almost too much for me. On the strength of the advice from the Department that the salary would be $400.00 I stated so in my advertisements. Now I am told that they will accept Miss Taylor at a salary of $350.00. Miss Taylor declines the school, however, and I have reason to think she was a good teacher. I wired Mrs. Yarwood, of Mount Elgin Institute, and she would go on the 15th of November, but she had previously stated that she would not accept less than $400.00. I cannot do any better and neither, I am satisfied, can the Department. Salaries of teachers are as high, or higher, in the small schools of the district. Now, I don't know what to do or where to look for a teacher, and if the Department objects to my appointment I will cheerfully hand over the appointment to them."

A few days ago I sent to the Department Mrs. Yarwood's application and a copy of a testimonial. Be good enough to let me know if her appointment to the school will be approved, and if the salary formerly promised by the Department will be paid.

I am,

Your obedient servant,

A. Sutherland
General Secretary.

Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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METHODIST MISSION ROOMS
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The Methodist Church.

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 3 1909

Dictated - Dr. S.

Toronto, November 5th, 1909.

Ex'd

353984

Dear Sir:-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 4th instant No. 152195 -1 referring to the Indian School at Gibson. I appreciate the action of the Department in notifying the Rev. Mr. Watch that he is authorized to offer a salary of $400 per annum, also that Mrs. Yarwood may be engaged temporarily if Miss Taylor cannot accept the position.

I am,

Your obedient servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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Ex'd

Ottawa, November 8, 1909.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letters of the 4th and 5th inst. in reference to the engagement of a teacher for the Gibson Indian school, and in reply I beg to say that information has come to the Department through Rev. Mr. Watch that Mrs. Yarwood objects to a temporary appointment to this position.

In reply I beg to say that the object of the Department in making all new appointments temporary is to protect the interests of the Indians. If the services of a teacher so appointed prove satisfactory the Department is only too pleased to retain them. The word "provisionally" might more accurately designate the meaning the Department wished to convey than the word "temporarily".

The Department would be pleased to have Mrs. Yarwood take charge of the school and her retention in the position will be assured, provided she gives satisfaction. Kindly advise Mr. Watch to this effect as soon as possible.

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.,
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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Parry Sound, Ont.
Nov. 10th 1909

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 13 1909

The Secretary
Indian Department
Ottawa

Ex'd

354347

Dear Sir

In reply to yours of the 4th inst. Miss Taylor persisted in her refusal to accept Gibson School. The instruction being safe her provisionally was cancelled.

I have been in communication with Mrs Yarwood of Mt Elgin Institute, Muncey, and she accepts the appointment at $400 pr and will reach Gibson on Saturday next the 13th

I have said nothing to Mrs Yarwood about her being appointed temporarely. She would probably resent it. The matter I hope is entirely in our own hands. A teacher's employment can at anytime be terminated according to the School law, by one or two months' notice.

I am pleased the appointment is made and I have no desire to have any further to do with the teacher problem on the Gibson Reserve. I am Sir Yours truly E. W. Watch

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Dictated - Dr. S. Toronto, November 19th 1909.

Ex'd 55469

Dear Sir,-

I am informed by the Rev. C.W. Watch, of Parry Sound, that Mrs. Yarwood has been engaged for the school at Gibson in accordance with the permission given by the Department. Mrs. Yarwood, I think is a competent teacher, but it is understood that her continuance in the Gibson School will depend upon the character of her work.

Trusting that the experiment may prove successful, I am,

Your obedient servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary,

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH NOV 24 1909

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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The Methodist Church.

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JAN 15 1910

Dictated - Dr. S.

Toronto, January 10, 1910

Schools

357311

Ex'd

Dear Sir,-

As intimated in a former letter I wrote to the Rev. C.W.Watch respecting the conditions on the Gibson Indian Reserve, and the possibility of making an opening there for either Mr. Cork or Mr. Prosser. I have just received a reply from Mr. Watch in which he speaks as follows:-

> "I have had so much trouble at Gibson that the peace and prosperity of the present is a joyous relief to me, and I would dread opening things up. Mr. Hailstone (the missionary) is doing splendidly, and in justice to him I could not send him adrift. Then Mrs. Yarwood is doing excellent work at Gibson School and the Indians would feel very sore if she were changed."

In view of these circumstances I fear it would be running too great a risk to disturb the present arrangement at Gibson.

Your obedient servant,

SCHOOLS BRANCH JAN 13 1910

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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Parry Sound Indian Agency

28th February 1910.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 1 1910

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

Sir.

I beg leave to inclose you a letter from Rev. C. W. Watch. accompanied with a requistion from the Teacher of Sahanalien School. Watha reserve. I may say I am at loss. to Know. Where I stand. in Connection with this School. The teacher failed to send me the quarterly report for the quarter Ending 31st December 1909.

I cannot see how I am to make a report on this school. if I am to be ignored with the quarterly reports. I am ignorant of the Teacher's qualifications whether. She is teaching on a Provincial Certificate or on County papers. Or on a happy go lucky permit from. the Methodist Missionary Society. I cannot say.

If the Teacher and the Chairman are dealing direct with. the Department on part of the business I think it would prevent confusion. to have all the work go through One source and System.

Your Kind advice and instruction to me will be appreciated. and obeyed. by me.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant.

D. J. Macdonald
Indian. Supt.

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Ottawa, March 2nd, 1910.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th ultimo, and in reply I beg to say that all returns, requisitions for school material, etc., from the Gibson School should be forwarded through your office. On the occasion of your visits to the reserve you should inspect the school and make such reports as you see fit.

In regard to the appointment of the teacher I beg to say that this was made by the Department on the nomination of the authorities of the Methodist Church. Mrs. Yarwood is the holder of a Second Class non-professional certificate and an expired Third Class professional, and her qualifications were quite satisfactory.

This letter is your authority for asking Mrs. Yarwood to transmit all returns, etc., to the Department through you, as well as all correspondence dealing with buildings, repairs, equipment, etc.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Gibson Reserve
Feb. 14th-1911

Report- Watha Indian School

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To whom it may Concern:

On visiting your school today, I find that the equipment and accommodation are just the same as they were a year ago. The things which the teacher most urgently feels the need of are (1) a map of Ontario, and (2) a supply of up-to-date charts. I would be very much pleased to see these in the school the next time I visit it.

The teacher is doing excellent work and is the right girl in the right place. The pupils are progressing famously, especially when one considers the obstacles to be overcome, viz- it is hard for them to understand the English, but this difficulty is being fast overcome. The patience and tact of the teacher are worthy of special note. You really cannot afford to dispense with her services.

Yours very truly
H. R. Knull I. P. A.

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To the School Secretary
Walhā Indian Reserve
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Indian Office

At Parry Sound

7th July. 1911

MEMO.

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Sir.

I beg to inclosd you the
The teachers report for the Sahanaskin
Indian School. Gibson Reserve
also. Mrs Yarwoods Copy. of a
letter from the School Inspector.
The map of Ontario. which is
On the Wall. is in a delapidated
Condition. and the Seals. are much
needed.

I am Sir your Obedient
Servant.

D Jellacdonald
Indian Supt.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
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Ottawa, October 3, 1911.

Madam,

The quarterly return of the Gibson School for the quarter ended September 30th, last, shows that you only taught 15 days during that quarter. You re-opened this school after the summer holidays on September 5th and, therefore, should have taught 19 days, or a loss of four days, for which no satisfactory explanation is given on the return. The Department cannot understand why you should have closed this school for Election Day, September 21st.

You are expected to keep school open every teaching day and without this is done or a satisfactory explanation furnished the Department can have no recourse but to disallow your salary for any unauthorized holidays taken by you in future.

Your obedient servant,

for Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Mary L. Yarwood,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Bala, Ont.

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Kaladar Ont.
Oct. 12th 1911

L. D. McLean
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

Sir

In reply to your letter No. 152195/1 dated Oct 3rd I would say that Gibson School was closed on Election Day Sept. 21st because the School house was required for voting purposes. The Indians on this Reserve have a vote.

In regard to any unauthorized holidays that I may take, I always make them up, by teaching on what would otherwise be holidays. That was arranged when I engaged to teach the school.

Your obedient servant
Mary L. Garwood

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Ottawa, October 19, 1911.

Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the Department does not approve of unauthorized holidays being taken without authority and the school kept open on days that are not recognized teaching days. In your letter you refer to such an arrangement being made when you engaged to teach the school. In this connection I beg to say that the Department has no record of any such arrangement having been made.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Secretary.

Miss Mary L. Yarwood,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Bala, Ont.

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Ottawa, December 21, 1911.

Rev. Sir,

The Department is advised by Mr. Macdonald, Indian Superintendent Parry Sound, that Mrs. Yarwood, who intended to send in her resignation as teacher of the Gibson Indian School at the end of the year, has agreed to take charge of the Ryerson School, This is a more convenient situation for Mrs. Yarwood and the Department has agreed to her transfer. It will, therefore, be necessary to obtain a successor at the Gibson School and I would ask you to take the necessary steps. If you consider that it will probably be sometime before you will be able to make a nomination it is thought that arrangements can be made to have Miss Dewasha, who has had some little experience and who lives close to the school, take charge temporarily. I shall be glad to hear from you at your earliest convenience.

Your obedient servant,

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Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. E. E. Shore,
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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Ottawa, December 21, 1911.

Sir,

Replying to your letter of the 16th instant I beg to say that your explanation with regard to transfer of Mrs. Yarwood from the Gibson to the Ryerson School is quite satisfactory. Rev. T. E. E. Shore, General Secretary of the Methodist Missionary Society, is being asked to nominate a successor.

In the meantime the Department does not wish to have the Gibson School closed and it is thought that you may be able to arrange with Miss Dewasha, who has had some previous experience at the school, to re-open classes on January 2nd unless a satisfactory nomination is made before that date. If you do not hear from the Department in the course of a few days you may arrange to have Miss Dewasha take charge of the school and the Department will pay her at the rate of $300.00 per annum, it to be understood that she will give up the position immediately upon the receipt of notice to do so. If Miss Dewasha will not accept it you may engage Miss Decaire, but, as the former is much closer to the school, it is considered preferable to give her the temporary appointment.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 28 1911

Ex. At Parry Sound

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH
JAN 25 1911
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18th January 1911

The Secretary.
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sir.

I beg to inclose you Mr W. B. W. Armstrongs account for material for the Wahta Indian School. Express prepaid

I am Sir your Obedient Servant

D. J. Macdonald
Indian Supt.

Date 25 8
Recommended for ... 3 V.-
Approved.
D.I.A.
Jan 25/1/11

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Encl. Jan. 30th

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IN REPLY REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER, AND ADDRESS
THE GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 5 1912

Toronto, Jan. 4, 1912. 190

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Dear Sir:

I have your letter No. 152195/1, dated December 21st.

I am satisfied to adopt your suggestion until a satisfactory permanent teacher can be secured, namely, that in the meantime, Miss Dewasha be appointed as temporary teacher.

Yours respectfully,
J. E. Egerton Shore.
General Secretary.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, January 8, 1912.

Sir,

Kindly advise the Department as soon as you have made arrangements for the re-opening of the Gibson School. I may say that the General Secretary of the Methodist Missionary Society has agreed to adopt the suggestion of the Department to fill this position temporarily pending the appointment of a permanent, qualified teacher.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound.

11th January 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 15-2195/1
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Ex'd

Sir,—

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter regarding the opening of the Gibson Reserve Indian School

I beg to say that Miss Johanna Dewasha has written me that She would Open the School on Monday the 8th instant.

I may inform you that Miss Dewasha is married to James Sabanalien and is residing with her parents a few yards distant from the School house.

I am Sir
your Obedient Servant

D. Fillmondall
Indian Supt.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Pany Sound
1st April 1912.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottowa.

Sir.

I beg leave. to inclose you the teachers. Report for the Indian School. Gibson Reserve. for the quarter Ending on the 31st of March. 12
I beg to state. that. Mrs Sahanatien will not resume. teaching
I am Sir your Obedient Servant

D. J. Macdonald
Indian Supt

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Ottawa, April 6,,1912.

Sir,-

I have to ask you to be good enough to communicate with Miss Decaire, an Indian of the Gibson Band, with a view to having her take charge of the school on the reserve till the end of the current quarter. It is hoped by that time that the Methodist Church will be able to nominate a competent teacher for this school. Miss Decaire's salary will be at the rate of $300.00 per annum.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Alex. Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Mr Sutherland
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Ottawa, April 6, 1912.

Rev. Sir,-

I beg to refer to your letter of January 4th, last, and previous correspondence in reference to the appointment of a teacher for the Gibson School and to state that the Department hopes that you will be able to nominate a competent teacher for this school to take charge after the approaching summer holidays.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. T. E. Egerton Shore,
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto, Ont.

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The Methodist Church
REV. C. W. WATCH, PASTOR
P. O. BOX 488
PHONE [redacted]

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THE PARSONAGE
PARRY SOUND, April 9th 1912

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 11 1912

J. D. McLean Esq
Secretary Indian Department
Ottawa.

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Dear Sir

I regret the difficulty regarding the School vacancy on the Gibson Reserve. I have felt my position in the matter to be somewhat peculiar. Mrs. Yarwood gave us good satisfaction, she was induced to leave by the late Agent with the promise of increased Salary. I received no notice of this, other than the resignation, which I thought was altogether for another reason.

I did my best to secure a teacher at the Salary offered, but it was not sufficient inducement to secure the class of teacher we desired.

I then heard casually that the School was opened, I had received no notice, I owed not think such an appointment as the one made, though the young woman was of excellent character, she was not capable of teaching. I was asked regarding Miss Devasha, but she was not competent. I felt that as the School was opened by the Agent I had better not interfere, though the Indians were complaining and urging me to do so. Miss Decaire applied, she has some ability and experience, but I still felt I owed not upset any arrangement made by the Agent.

In the meantime I had been expending money seeking a teacher, and had some good applications, but as appointments of teachers depended upon somewhat a free hand regarding Salary, and we had thirty Schools without teachers around this District and more than one half the Schools occupied had teachers without certificates, I was handicapped touching an appointment.

We kept Mrs. Yarwood as long as we did by agreeing to Board her

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PARRY SOUND, _____ 191__

at the Mission House for $10.00 a month, when the lowest price for board was $4.00 weekly. All teachers insist on boarding at the Mission House and we have to compensate our Missionary for this privilege.

I now hear from the Band that the School is vacant again, and was going to write Miss Decaire, when Mr. Logan intimated to me that he was instructed to appoint her at $300.00. I have no objection to this, yet I suggested to him that I had better write her + appoint her with the approval of the Department. The Indians will accept it, I am sure, in a better spirit if it is done this way. I have no written her, subject to two weeks notice, when a qualified teacher is found. I am not sure if she will accept the Salary offered.

I should like to know if I am to nominate a teacher, representing as I do the Missionary Society? I did ask the Society to allow the appointment to pass out of your hands altogether. Still I am willing to do what I can to solve the difficulty. Then I must suggest it is next to impossible to hold all application for a few days subject to approval, but have to wire teachers largely by telegram in this country, the demand is so great.

Pardon the length of my letter of Explanation. I thought it better to inform you of the situation

Yours Sincerely

C. W. Watch

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Ottawa, April 15, 1912.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th instant in reference to the appointment of a teacher forthe Gibson school.

In reply I beg to say that the Department has been in correspondence with the General Secretary of the Methodist Missionary Society with a view to securing the services of a competent teacher for this school and on January 4th, last Mr. Shore approved of the temporary appointment of Miss Dewasha, pending the securing of a suitable person to take charge permanently. On the 6th of this month Mr. Logan, the Indian Superintendent, was asked to communicate with Miss Decaire with a view to having her take charge of the school temporarily and on the same date Rev. Mr. Shore was again written to and asked to try and nominate a competent teacher for this school, to take charge after the summer holidays. It would be well for you to communicate with him and the Department hopes that by that time the supply of teachers will not be so limited and that the Missionary Society will be in a position to nominate some satisfactory person. I may say that to a person with some qualifications a more liberal salary will be allowed.

Your obedient servant,

D. C. Scott

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Rev. C. W. Watch,
The Parsonage,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 22 1912

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Indian Agent's Office

Parry Sound, April 12th, 1912.

Sir:-

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P.S. re Gibson School.

I have just received a letter from Mrs Dewasha the late teacher asking for her salary as she says she has been discharged by the Methodist Missionary Society. I understand Miss Decaire has taken charge.

Alexander Logan

Supt.

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Ottawa, April 25, 1912.

Sir,-

In reply to that portion of your letter of the 12th instant in which you deal with the salary of Mrs. Sahanatien (nee Dewasha), late teacher of the Gibson School, I beg to say that the amount of salary due Mrs. Sahanatien will be sent upon receipt of the usual returns showing the attendance, etc., during the time she was in charge of this school.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Bot 9B. Bala. Apr 22nd 1912

Wm Alexander Logan Indian Supt
Parry Sound Ont.
Dear Sir:

Your favor of the 16th inst is just received. Re school and in reply would say that I will take charge of the school for the current quarter. I opened school on the 15th. by the order of Rev C. L. Worton at Parry Sound. Doubtless you know the circumstances of the matter.

Thanking you for your favor and trusting to continue the same.

Yours truly
Mary L. Wilcox

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound
April 22 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195-1
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Sir,

I beg to inform you that Miss Mary L. Decaire has taken charge of Gibson School untill end of current Quarter as per your letter dated Apl. 6th

I am enclosing her letter to me

I have the Honor to be
Your Obedient Servant
Alexander Logan
Indian Supt.

Secretary
Dept of Indian
Affairs
Ottawa

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 26 1912

Department of
Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont

Dear Sir.

I am taking the space in writing a few words. in regard to school teacher such as we have at present I am awfully sorry for taking away the previous teacher we had and it was a good one. and well liked by everybody she was a good industrious teacher and good decent character. I had three children who went to school when the previous teacher was in operation my children progressed more faster then the teachers we had in previous years on history. but now the one that the Department appointed we do not like it every-body does not like her at all or I might better say that we dont want her in

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the place she is holding.
Even the children don't like her
how they can learn when the
school-teacher are not welcomed
to their ideas. I have'd kept
my children back away from
school. as they told me that the
present teacher they did not like
her they would study their lessons
so whats the use of their pushing
them to school.
Now if the Department decided
to change the school-teacher
why it did not send one from
outside. without putting and
appointing one which was disliked
by every one. She is no good to
teach any body.
Mr D. F. McDonald wrote to her last
fall if she would take the position
to teach Gibson school.

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And she flatly refused to take it. she would not want it.
But now she fought for to get the place and she got it only to crowd out somebody that was doing the work. I dare say that this is very unfair.
The previous teacher should remain teaching till June 30 the 1912 at least and then it was lots of time to look for a high class one
No doubt the party of the present teacher must have wrote to the Department to the very best that they ~~thing~~ could put in and put up to be the best teacher that could be got. But I would say to such point that I upset the best story. I do not say that character to be bad. no. I think she has a good one.

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But on account of teaching
school its against our saberpetion.
Now please tell me. can we get
back our good desireable teacher
again I am in dead earnest
to get her back to school.
If not. I would sooner see
and have the school shut-ups
till the holidays. as the other
children they wont learn any-
thing. its no use paying her money
for the coming two months
as she will not do a bit of good
to the children.....
Please inform me very soon
as to the result of my request
I think I am in the right to make
such request as I am a member
of the Band and knows all
about whats needed.
I remain Yours Truly
Mr Wm Rennie

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P.A.C.

Ottawa, April 30, 1912.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the appointment of Miss Decaire as teacher of the Gibson School was only temporary. The Department trusts that a qualified teacher will be available after the summ er holidays. In the meantime there is no doubt that your children will get some benefit by attending the school and you should see that they do so.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Mr. Wm. Rennie,
Sahanatien, Ont.

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The Methodist Church
REV. C[illegible]ATCH, PASTOR
P. O. BOX
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THE PARSONAGE
PARRY SO[illegible] Aug 1st 1912

SCHOOLS BRANCH
AUG 6 1912

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J. D. McLean Esq
Indian Department
Ottawa.

Dear Sir.

Re Appointment of Teacher for Gibson Indian Reserve.

In view of the fact that there are no satisfactory responces from Advt. for teachers for this School, I shall appreciate it if you will give me your counsel regarding the following -

The first required is an applicant. The second I have desired her to make an application.

1- Miss Mary Decaire the present teacher, she desires to continue, her Salary is $300 per. She has said nothing about any increase of Sala. The Board desires a regularly qualified teacher. For an Indian teacher without qualification she has done fairly well.

2. Miss Edna Atkinson, aged 20 - (nearly 21) - With Model School Certificate, a very bright girl. She can easily secure a good Sch. She would require a Salary of $400 per, and I think would be worth it.

I have an application of a Normal School Certificated teacher for January next - but the appointment now made is not satisfactory. The Minimum Salary paid in the District for qualified Normal School teachers is $500 per

I have not sent on the formal applications &c. I would like to have the mind of the Dept first.

Yours Sincerely
C. W. Watch

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Ex C

Ottawa, August 6, 1912.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receiptof your letter of the 1st instant in reference to a teacher for the Gibson School.

In reply I beg to say that your communication should be directed to the Rev. T. E. E. Shore, General Secretary of the Methodist Missionary Society, Toronto, in whose hands the nomination for this position rests. I may say that the Department is not in favour of placing the school under the charge of an Indian again, but would prefer a qualified teacher. Miss Atkinson's application will be considered promptly with any others that may be received. It is desired that the school should be re-opened if possible on the 3rd of September. No doubt if you forward Miss Atkinson's application to Mr. Shore he will give it immediate attention.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. C. W. Watch,
The Parsonage,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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METHODIST INDIAN SCHOOLS

Teacher's Application

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NOTE.—The Applicant is expected to answer fully and explicitly the Questions below, and to forward this Application promptly, with Testimonials, to "The General Secretary, Methodist Mission Rooms, Toronto."

TO THE GENERAL SECRETARY, TORONTO:—

I hereby make application for the position of Teacher of the Indian Day- School at Gibson Sshanatieu, Muskoka If appointed I will discharge the duties involved to the best of my ability, and will conform to the Regulations of the Missionary Society and of the Indian Department respecting Indian Schools.

Name C. Edna Atkinson *Post Office Address* Parry Sound.

Sex Female *Age* 20 *Health* Good *Nationality* Canadian

How long resident in this country? — *Married or Unmarried?* Unmarried

If married, give the sex and age of each child, if any —

Grade and date of Certificate Model School, - Bracebridge, 1912.

From what Institution? Bracebridge *How long have you taught?* One year -

In what Schools? No 4 Foley - No 5 McDougall.

Can you lead or instruct in singing? — *Can you play on any instrument?* Organ Piano

Have you taught in Sunday School? Yes *How long?* Six Months

Of what Church are you a member? Methodist

Name and Address of present and previous Pastor Rev. C. W. Watch - Parry Sound.
Rev. Mc Howard, Fort Saskatchewan

Name and Address of References as to character and ability J. L. Moore, School
Inspector, Parry Sound.

If appointed, when can you be ready? September 30th 1912.

Any additional facts or circumstances

Signed Edna Atkinson

Date Aug 14th 1912.

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These blanks will be filled at the Mission Rooms.

INDIAN SCHOOLS

Teacher's Application

Name C. Edna Atkinson

Address Parry Sound

When Received Aug. 14th

Accepted

When Appointed

To what School

Salary, $ ..... *per* .....

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The Methodist Church
REV. C. V. WATCH, PASTOR
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 6 1912

THE PARSONAGE
PARRY SOUND, August 1st 1912

Letter No 152195/1

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J. D. McLean
Secretary Indian Department
Ottawa

Dear Sir

In reply to yours of Aug 6th, The General Secretary, and the Missionary Board of the Church have placed the matter of the Nomination of the Teacher for the Gibson (Wanda Band) School in my hands, and I understood the Department had been notified of this some year or so ago.

This is not a position I crave, I only act by the order of the Board. I am enclosing Miss Atkinson's application. She is an exceptionally bright girl and Student, and under pressure has now declined two Schools to accept this position. I believe the time has come when a good White teacher should be placed at Gibson, and to secure Miss Atkinson I have promised her board at the Mission House at reduced rates. The salary mentioned is $400.00, I have no answer to advertisements but what all are asking more salary. One man, (and he has not been much success) asks $800.00 + rent.

I think Miss Atkinson will be the equal of Mrs. Yar[illegible] as a teacher

Kindly let me hear early

Yours Quickly C. W. Watch

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Ottawa, August 16, 1912.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that Miss Edna Atkinson has been appointed teacher of the Gibson Indian school at a salary of $400 per annum, her duties to commence September 3, next.

You will be good enough to see that everything is in readiness for the opening of the school on that date, and give Miss Atkinson what help you can, including instructions regarding the making out of returns, etc.,

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. [redacted]

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Mr Sutherland to write:

noted
A.D.G.

Ottawa, August 16, 1912.

Rev. Sir,-

I have your letter of the 14th inst., inclosing an application from Miss Edna Atkinson for the position of teacher of the Gibson school.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will be Pleased to accept Miss Atkinson's services, her duties to commence September 3 and the salary to be at the rate of $400.00 per annum.

The Indian Superintendent will be notified accordingly, and at a later date the Department will communicate direct with Miss Atkinson.

q. Fm Dcl

Your obedient Servant,

[redacted]

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. C.W. Watch,
The Parsonage,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

Jan 2 - 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

EXD: 417784

I beg to enclose to you School Quarterly Reports of Ryerson & Skeen schools Parry Island also from Shawanaga and Henvey Inlet as per your instructions I have engaged Miss Lett from Shawanaga school and she takes charge on Jan 6th - I have not been able to get a teacher for Skeene school yet and it looks as if we would have to close up Skeene school for the winter - Miss Deering will take it at $350.00 per annum. I will await the Department instructions. - Wm Jarwood teaches at Ryerson school Parry Island requests an increase of salary to $550.00. She is a good teacher. I think it will be better to pay her that then lose her, as it is very hard to get teachers at the present time - I have not received report from Gibson school yet but will forward as soon as I receive it - I am

Your obedient servant
Alexander Logan
Indian Supt

The Secretary
Department
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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JAN 10 1913
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 13 1913
OTTAWA

The Parsonage
Parry Sound Ont
June 10th 1913.

The Superintendent of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

427194

Dear Sir

Re. School Teacher, Gibson Indian Reserve.

Miss Atkinson's term expires June 30th, and we are anxious to nominate her again. The difficulty is the Salary. She can secure a larger Salary elsewhere. She is now receiving $400.00. Would the department consent to raise it to $500.00. We never had the School in a better condition. The Inspector's report is most favorable. She has developed well and the attendance is equal if not better than at any previous time.

I shall be exceedingly pleased if we can retain her. I am anxious to know early as she has often School trustees asking for her services.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 14 1913
OTTAWA

Yours truly
C. W. Watch
Chairman of Board

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Ottawa, June 17, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that the Department has decided to increase the salary of Miss Atkinson, teacher of the Gibson School, from $400.00 to $500.00 per annum from the first of next quarter.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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2 letters
Mr. Cuthbertson
noted J.D.M.

EX'D.

Ottawa, June 17, 1913.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant in reference to the re-engagement of Miss Atkinson as teacher of the Gibson School.

In reply I beg to say that, in view of the very commendatory reports on Miss Atkinson's work received from the Public School Inspector and also your endorsement, the Department rather than lose her services will grant her the increase in salary asked for from $400.00 to $500.00 from the first of next quarter and you may inform Miss Atkinson accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. C. W. Watch,
The Parsonage,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Parry Sound
Aug - 22 1913

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH
AUG 27 1913
SCHOOLS

Sir,—

I beg to inclose you a letter from Miss Atkinson teacher at Gibson School last year — She was engaged at $400 per year, At the end of first Quarter she received $40.00 and each subsequent Quarter $100.00 making in all $340.00 and claims a balance coming to her of $60.00 which would seem correct — as she taught the whole school term 12–13 — I have notified her that her salary next year will be at the rate of $500.00 beginning June 1st — & July — as per your letter No 152195/1 June 17th — — — Kindly let me know as soon as possible as I would like her to take up Gibson School after vacation

I am your obedient servant

Alexander Logan
Indian Supt.

Secretary Department
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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431861

Parry Sound,
Aug 1913.

Dear Mr Logan.

Received the cheque for the quarter ending June 30. and although I have now taught the full school year I have only received $34.00 $/s being still due. Would you kindly intimate this to the department as soon as possible as I

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med the money.
I remain
your truly.

Edna Atkinson

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Ottawa, August 27, 1913.

EX'D.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant enclosing a communication from Miss Atkinson, teacher of the Gibson School, in reference to the amount of salary received by her during the year.

In reply I beg to say that by mistake Miss Atkinson was only paid $340.00 for the year. A cheque for the balance due her, $60.00, is now being sent her.

Your obedient servant,

[redacted]

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

Sept 3rd 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Immediate

Sir,

432379

I beg to report to you that Miss Atkinson the teacher at Gibson School has resigned and that School is at present closed - - -

There is a girl here a Miss Rowlison recommended by the Methodist Society who is willing to give it a trail at $400.00 per annum. She has just finished High School and will go at once she has another offer of a Country School but will hold out until I hear from you. So if you will wire me when you get this she would open school on Monday next

I am your Obedient Servant

Alexander Logan
Indian Supt.

The Secretary
Department
of Indian Affairs
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Send the following Message, subject to the above terms, which are hereby agreed to:

Ottawa, September 5, 1913.

Alexander Logan,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

May engage Miss Rowlison as teacher Gibson School.

J. D. McLean,

Charge to Dept. of I.A.

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Mr Sutherland
Mr. J. to

Ottawa, September 6, 1913.

Sir,-

I beg to confirm the following telegramt sent you yesterday:- "May engage Miss Rowlison as teacher Gibson School."

The Department will be pleased to have you give Miss Rowlison full information and instructions regarding her duties as teacher of this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

Sept 19th 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO

No.

ALSO

TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

433535

Sir,—

I beg to report to you that the teacher who had agreed to go to Gilson Reserve did not go. But a Miss Leona Lusty who has just went through High school here. applied to me. she was recomended by Mr Moore Inspector and also was satisfactory to the Methodist Missionary Society. I told her the salary would be at the rate of $400 per annum I sent her down last Tuesday 16th subject to approval of Department

I am your Obedient Servant

Alexander Logan

Indian Superintendent

The Secretary

Department

of Indian Affairs

Ottawa.

SEP 23 1913

SCHOOLS BRANCH SEP 24 1913

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Mr. Sutherland noted J.D.D.

EXD.

Ottawa, September 24, 1913.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves of the temporary appointment of Miss Leona Lutz as teacher of the Gibson School at a salary of $400.00 per annum.

Your obedient servant,

D.C. SCOBLE

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Parry Sound

July 6th. 1914

Sir

R

I beg to report to you that Miss Leona Lutz, teacher of the Gibson Reserve School, has handed in her resignation, and I understand from the Chairman of the Methodist Missionary Society, that they have arranged for a teacher to take her place, when the school reopens.

SCHOOLS JUL 15 1914

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alfred W Lazenby

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ex'd.

Ottawa, July 21st, 1914

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant reporting that Miss Leona Lutz teacher of the Indian School for the Gibson Reserve has handed in her resignation. I have therefore, to request that you will consult with the Methodist Church authorities with a view to obtaining the services of a duly qualified teacher to take charge of this school after the holidays.

Please submit the names of any applicants with their qualifications to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Supt.,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Pafry Sound

Sept. 4th. 1914

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 8 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

SCHOOLS BRANCH
SEP 22 1914

I beg to report my visit to Gibson Reserve School on Sept.2nd. and say that Miss Sarah Stevenson is in charge of the school, sent by the Methodist Missionary Society.

She did not send me an application, so I wrote the society some time ago but have received no satisfactory answer from them as to her qualifications etc..She has a second class Normal certificate, issued in 1877. Miss Stevenson is a lady about 65 years of age and has been a teacher all her life. She expects $ 450.00 per.year.

I think she may get along alright. We held a council meeting in the afternoon and I had two trustees appointed for the school, as I think it may help the teacher, also the parents to get their children to attend school more regularly.

Trusting same may meet with your approval,

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan
Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, September 22, 1914.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th instant inwhich you inform the Department that Miss Sarah Stevenson assumed charge as teacher of the Gibson School on the 2nd instant, having been appointed to that position by the Methodist church author ities.

In reply I beg to inform you that, as this lady is now in charge of the school, her temporary appointment as teacher is approved. The Department, however, can only pay her salary at the rate of $400.00 per year, the same as was paid to her predecessor, Miss Leona Lutz.

The Department notes that two trustees were appointed for the school and it is hoped that through their efforts the parents will be induced to send their children regularly to school.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 24 1914

Indian Agent's Office,

Parry Sound, Oct. 14th, 1914.

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Sir,

Copy of Minutes of Council Meeting held at Sahanatien, Oct. 5 1914.

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Moved by Peter Strength sec. by Francis Decaire that Samuel Commandant and Frank Decaire Jr. that they will be a school trustee in our school. Carried.

I beg to recommend same. A.L.

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Yours truly obedient servant,

Chief Peter strength.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound,

Oct. 22nd. 1914

IN REPLY REFER TO
No. 457094
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Sir—

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 29 1914

SCHOOLS BRANCH
OCT 30 1914

I beg to enclose to you Quarterly Report from Gibson School.

This lady seems to be taking great interest in her pupils and the attendance has been very good. She is very much disappointed about the salary and talked of quitting when I interviewed her the other day at the school.

I would recommend that you pay her at least $ 450.00. It is worth $ 500. down there just as much as Parry Island and Shawanaga. You cannot get a teacher to stay in these out of the way places unless you satisfy them in salaries.

Trusting this recommendation will meet with your approval.

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, October 30, 1914.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant in reference to the salary of the teacher of the Gibson School, Miss Stevenson.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will pay her at the rate of $450.00 per annum from the first of the current quarter and you will be good enough to inform her accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

D. STEWART

Assistant Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Ottawa, November 20, 1914.

Memorandum.

SCHOOLS BRANCH NOV 261914

Saskatoon P. O. Ont

While on Gibson reserve this month, one, Samuel Commandant, a very enterprising young man, a newly elected school trustee for the band, inquired as to the duties of a school trustee. He wanted to know whether his office in some way partook the nature of the work of a truant officer. He seems to think that as a school trustee his work, if any, lay in the direction of encouraging parents to send their children to school and to see that the attendance of school is maintained to the highest possible mark. If this is what is expected of him he desires to know the regulations governing school attendance, and what steps are necessary to take in order to place the band under the operations of the compulsory school attendance regulations.

I would suggest that Samuel Commandant be advised along these lines and a copy of the Department's School Regulations be sent him.

Chas. A. Cooke

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Ottawa, December 9, 1914.

Sir,-

Mr. Charles A. Cooke of this Department reports that while he was on the Gibson Reserve you made inquiries as to the duties of a school trustee, you having been elected to that position by the Gibson Band.

As a trustee you are empowered to see that the Regulations relating to the Education of Indian Children are porperly carried out. A copy of these regulations is enclosed herewith for your information and guidance. You will see that section 5 provides for the appointment of a truant officer and the duties of this officer are defined in sections 6 and 7. The Department will be pleased if you will use your influence with the parents to secure a regular attendance of children at the school and in case they neglect to attend you should apply to the Agent for the appointment of a truant officer. Should you care to take this position the Department will be pleased to appoint you.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Mr. Samuel Commandant,
Sahanatien P.O., Ont.

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Extract from Inspector's Report on the Watha Indian Day School Dated February 25, 1915.

Original on File 152195-6

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Reasons for Unsatisfactory attendance, etc.

Indifference of parents, bad roads, long distance for the little ones to come. Some have not had warm clothing.

SCHOOLS BRANCH APR 6 1915

Sgd. H. R. Scovell

Inspector.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

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Parry Sound

Apr. 5th. 1915

Sir

466029

I beg to enclose to you, Quarterly reports from teachersof Ryerson, Shawanaga, Watha, and Henvy Inlet Schools.

They are all quite satisfactory excepting Watha, where the attendance should be better. The trouble is, the teacher who is over seventy is very cranky and a lot of the parents want to get rid of her.

I am sure this school would be run better if it was taken out of the control of the Methodist Missionery Society re choosing a teacher.

I am your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, April 24, 1915.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to inform you that the Department has been advised that the servi̊s of Miss Stevenson, teacher of the Watha School on the Gibson Reserve, are not satisfactory to the Indians, who request that a younger teacher should replace her after the summer holidays. Miss Stevenson is said to be over seventy years of age and rather set in her ways and I think it would be to the advantage of all concerned if the wishes of the Indians were complied with.

I have, therefore, to request that you will be good enough to take the necessary steps to secure a qualified person of a suitable age to take charge of this school after the summer holidays. As Miss Stevenson should be given timely notice that her services will not be required after the end of this term, I should be glad if you would attend to this matter at your earliest convenience.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. J. H. Arnup,
Assistant Secretary, Foreign Missions,
Missionary Society of the Methodist Church,
33 Richmond St., West,
Toronto, Ont.

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Ottawa, April 24, 1915.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant enclosing quarterly reports from the teachers of the four schools inmyour agency and stating that they are all quite satisfactory excepting Watha, where the attendance should be better and that the trouble there is that the teacher, who is over seventy, is very cranky and a lot of the parents want to get rid of her.

In reply I beg to say that the Department is writing to the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church asking them to take steps to secure a qualified teacher of a suitable age to take charge of this school after the summer holidays.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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REV. JAMES ENDICOTT, D.D.
GENERAL SECRETARY FOREIGN MISSIONS
REV. JESSE H. ARNUP, B.A.
ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOREIGN MISSIONS
MR. H[illegible] FUDGER
HONO[illegible] TREASURER

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SECRETARY
YOUNG PEOPLE'S FORWARD MOVEMENT

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 1915

April 29th, 1915.

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Dear Sir:-

In response to yours of the 24th inst, No.152195/1, I beg to acknowledge receipt of notice from the Department that the services of Miss Stephenson, teacher of the Watha School on the Gibson Reserve, must be dispensed with and a new teacher secured to take charge of the school after the summer holidays.

I will undertake to give Miss Stephenson due notice and take the usual steps to secure a teacher in good time for the re-opening of the school after the summer holidays.

Yours faithfully,

J. H. Arnup

Assistant Secretary.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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June. 1 1915

Gibson Reserve
via. Bala Muskoka

The Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sirs.-

I write to make enquiries regarding complaints that have been made by the Indian Dept. to the Meth. Mission Board against the Teacher in charge of the Watha School.

On June 7 I had occasion to write the Mission Board re- the work of the School and Church on this Reserve

The Secretary in his reply of the 9th enclosed a duplicate of a letter which had been sent to my address on May 19.

This letter I have not yet received.

The letter referred to was written on the instruction of the Dept. to the effect that the teacher at the Watha School was

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not giving satisfaction and her dismissal
be asked.

I must accept my dismissal, but I feel much the injustice of being asked to do so, without having any knowledge either the nature or source of the complaint, and no opportunity being given of defence.

I am altogether unaware of complaint or dissatisfaction existing either with parents or pupils. May I ask that in justice to me, you will provide me at your earliest convenience, with the source and nature of the complaints cited at the Dept.

I beg you will pardon me if I trespass further on your time. May I plain that a mistake was made in my denomination

On the recommendation of Inspector Scoville of Bracebridge, and others interested, I was appointed to the position of teacher here by the Chairman of the Parry Sound Dist.

By some mistake did not report the appointment to the Mission Board, so that when your letter asking for my dismissal was received, had no knowledge of who was in charge of the school, and

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and did not know until they recd
my letter of June. 7th.

I beg you will
pardon a personal reference
I am a teacher of long experience
having taught twenty three yrs.
in a Coll. Prov. Ladies College and
have spent over Fourteen yrs. in Public
School work. I am teaching in
this Indian School for the love of
the good old work.

Yours respectfully,
Sara L Stephenson

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Ottawa, June 22 1915

Mr. Benson

Please report on attached letter and return it to the office of the Deputy Superintendent General.

Do not file.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, June 23, 1915.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,-

With reference to the letter from Miss Sara C. Stephenson, teacher of the Gibson School, I beg to say that the former teacher resigned last July and Mr. Superintendent Logan was requested to consult with the Methodist Church authorities with a view of obtaining the services of a fully qualified teacher to take charge of this school after the summer holidays.

On September 4th, last, he reported that he visited the Gibson reserve on the 2nd of that month and found Miss Sara Stephenson in charge. No application was made to him nor received by the Department for her appointment and he stated that he wrote to the Methodist Missionary Society, but received no satisfactory answer from them about her. As she was in charge of the school she was allowed to remain on temporarily at a salary of $450.00 a year.

In April, last, Mr. Logan reported that all the schools in his agency were quite satisfactory, excepting Watha (Gibson), where the atendance should be better. He stated that the trouble is that the teacher, who is over 70years old, is very cranky and a lot of the parents want to

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to get rid of her. He stated that he was sure the school would be run better if it were taken out of the control of the Methodist Missionary Society re choosing a teacher. On the strength of Mr. Logan's report Rev. Mr. Arnup, Assistant Secretary of the Methodist Missionary Society, was informed that Miss Stephenson's services were not satisfactory and that a younger teacher should replace her after the summer holidays and he was requested to be good enough to take the necessary steps to secure a qualified person of suitable age to take charge of this school and give Miss Stephenson timely notice that her services would not be required after the end of this term.

Mr. Arnup acknowledged the receipt of this letter on the 29th of April, last, and stated that he would undertake to give Miss Stephenson due notice and take the usual steps to secure a teacher in good time for the re-opening of the school after the summer holidays.

There have been no specific charges made against Miss Stephenson; the only apparent objection the Indians have to her is her age and uncertain disposition. There is no question of her qualifications, which are ample for the position. Mr. Arnup made no objection to her removal at the time and there is no doubt that a younger teacher would be more suitable for this school.

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Ottawa, June 24, 1915.

Rev. Sir,-

In reference to the Department's letter of the 24th of April, last, inwhich you were advised that the services of Miss Stephenson, teacher of the Watha School on the Gibson Reserve, were not satisfactory to the Indians and requested to have a younger teacher replace her after the summer holidays I beg to say that the Department is in receipt of a letter from Miss Stephenson, a copy of which is enclosed herewith.

As you were told in the Department's letter above referred to the only objections to Miss Stpehenson were her age and uncertain disposition and for these reasons the Indians wish to get rid of her.

It is admitted that Miss Stephenson has the necessary teaching experience and qualifications and the Department is willing to give her another trial on the understanding that she will make herself agreeable to the Indians. I should be glad if you would communicate with Miss Stephenson and obtain her consent to continue the school on this dondition. The Department would like to have this matter settled at an early date, so that the Agent can let the Indians know of the terms on which she is

Rev. J. H. Arnup,
Assistant Secretary Foreign Missions,
Missionary Society of the Methodist Church,
33 Richmond St., West,
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is to stay on. The Agent will also be instructed to inform the Indians that they will be expected to do their part to make the school a sucess and refrain from needless fault finding.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Ottawa, June 25, 1915.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st instant making enquiries regarding complaints that have been made by the Department to the Methodist Mission Board against the teacher in charge of the Watha School.

In reply I beg to say that the Assistant Secretary of the Methodist Missionary Society has been asked to communicate with you in regard to this matter.

Your obedient servant,

D. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Sara C. Stephenson,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian School,
Gibson Reserve,
Via Bala, Muskoka, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 25 1915

June 26th, 1915.

Dear Sir:-

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In reply to yours, No. 152195/1 under date of June 24th, referring to the desire of the Department to retain the services of Miss Stephenson as teacher of the Watha School on the Gibson Reserve, I have already communicated the wishes of the Department to Miss Stephenson and am trying to arrange for a personal visit to the Gibson Reserve on Tuesday next, after which you will hear from me again on this matter.

Yours truly,

J. H. Arnup

Assistant Secretary.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 3 1915

July 2nd, 1915.

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Dear Sir:-

Re Watha School on Gibson Reserve.

On receipt of your last letter concerning this school I immediately wrote to the teacher, Miss Stephenson, and tried to arrange for a visit to the Reserve. She however did not receive my letter in time to complete our arrangements even by wire and the school is now closed. Miss Stephenson will be in my office within a few days and I shall now postpone my visit to the Reserve and final recommendation until after that time.

Yours truly,

J. H. Arnup

Assistant Secretary.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 27 1915
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JUL 27 1915

July 23rd, 1915.

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Dear Sir:-

In reference to Watha School on the Gibson Reserve, Miss Stephenson has today intimated her acceptance of the Department's offer to continue as teacher of this school for another year.

From all that I can learn, Miss Stephenson's work as teacher in this school and her services to the Indians through what she has been able to do for the children have been above the average. She is undoubtedly well thought of by the inspector and all other information which I can gather concerning her work is exceedingly favorable. It would seem that an unfortunate disagreement which arose between her and members of the band over a matter which really did not affect her conduct of the school at all is responsible for the trouble that has arisen. The source of this disagreement has now been removed and Miss Stephenson feels that she can go back with a reasonable expectation that her return will be acceptable to the Indians.

In view of this fact it seems reasonable to call the attention of the Department to the fact that the salary paid at Gibson seems rather low in comparison with that of other schools. $400.00 I think was the amount Miss Stephenson received last year. I am therefore taking the liberty of asking on her behalf for the favorable consideration of the Department in this matter in order that if possible an increase in salary may be granted for this year.

Yours truly,

J W Arnup

Assistant Secretary.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, July 29, 1915.

Rev. Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 23rd instant I beg to say that the Department, while retaining the services of Miss Stephenson as teacher of the Watha School on the Gibson Reserve, is not prepared to make any increase in her salary.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. J. H. Arnup,
Assistant Secretary, Foreign Missions,
Missionary Society of the Methodist Church,
33 Richmond St., West,
Toronto, Ont.

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Mission House
Gibson Reserve Ba[illegible]
May. 10

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 18 1916

Depart. Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Gentlemen.

I have to-day received cheque for $112.50 being salary for the qr. ending March 31. 1916. Please accept my thanks for the same.

I wish to say that I have to-day tendered my resignation to the Meth. Mission Board. as Teacher in the Wathaw School on the Gibson Reserve

Allow me to take this opportunity of thanking the Department for all kindnesses shown me since entering their service.

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MAY 19 1916

Yours respectfully
Sara C. Stephenson
Teacher,

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Ottawa, May 20, 1916.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant stating that you have tendered your resignation to the Methodist Mission Board as teacher in the Watha School on the Gibson Reserve.

Your obedient servant,

D. C. STEWART

for Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Sara C. Stephenson,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian school,
Bala, Ont.

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I letter

Ottawa, May 20, 1916.

Rev. Sir,-

I beg to advise you that the Department is in receipt of a communication from Miss Sara C. Stephenson, teacher of the Indian School on the Gibson Reserve, stating that she has tendered her resignation to the Methodist Mission Board.

I have to request that you will be good enough to take the necessary steps to secure a suitable teacher to take charge of this school after the summer holidays. Kindly advise the Department as to the name of the person you recommend for the position, giving full information as to her age, qualifications, experience, etc.

Your obedient servant,

S. Stewart

for Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Assistant Secretary, Foreign Missions,
Missionary Society of the Methodist Church,
33 Richmond St., West,
Toronto, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
1916

May 23rd, 1916.

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Dear Sir:- Your file #152195/1.

Your letter of May 20th, relative to the resignation of Miss S. C. Stephenson, teacher of the Indian School on the Gibson Reserve, has been received, and in reply beg to advise you that this matter is already receiving attention.

Yours truly,

J. H. Arnup
Assistant Secretary.

S. Stuart, Esquire,
For Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

July 6th. 1916

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 8 1916

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 483561
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,

I beg to enclose to you Quarterly reports from Gibson, Ryerson and Henvy Inlet schools.

The teacher at Gibson school, Miss Sarah Stephenson, does not intend coming back after the holidays and would like to get the balance of salary due her for the first quarters teaching.

I understand the Methodist church people are arranging for a new teacher for that school.

Salary pd to June 30/16 JD

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, July 14, 1916.

Rev. Sir,-

I beg to refer to your letter of the 23rd instant stating that the matter of appointing a teacher for the Gibson Indian Day School is receiving consideration.

The Department would like to know whether you have yet had any applications for this position.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. J. H. Arnup,
Assistant Secretary, Foreign Missions,
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Ottawa, July 14, 1916.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant enclosing reports from the Gibson, Ryerson and Henvey Inlet Schools for the June quarter, last, and stating that Miss Stephenson, teacher of the Gibson school, does not intend going back after the holidays.

In reply I beg to say that the Department has written to the Methodist Missionary Society in regard to appointing another teacher to take charge of this school after the holidays.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 18 1916

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July 17th, 1916.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUL 20 1916

Dear Sir:-

Re Gibson Indian Day School.

We are in receipt of an application from Mr. James Oliver, M.A., who was for several years teacher of the Christian Island school, and at present we are holding him available as missionary teacher for the school on the Gibson Reserve. There is a specific reason why no definite nomination has been submitted to the Department.

The combined grant from the Indian Department and the Missionary Society now being paid for the work at Gibson would furnish a reasonably adequate salary for a married man. At the same time, the situation at Georgina Island is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of the Missionary Society, although I believe that the lady who is supplying there has rendered fairly good service as day school teacher. It was my hope that we might secure an efficient married man for the school at Gibson and end the temporary arrangement at Georgina Island by placing Mr. Oliver there as missionary teacher. I think that he would prefer the situation, although somewhat less remunerative, because it is more accessible and comparatively adjacent to Toronto. In the meantime, the position of the Department is secure in that both positions are covered. If we do not secure a married man whom we can recommend for the position of missionary teacher at Gibson, Mr. Oliver will be nominated for that school and the present or some similar arrangement continued at Georgina Island.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Secretary.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

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Ottawa, Julym27, 1916.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th instant in reference to the appointment of teachers for the Gibson and Georgina Island Indian Day schools.

In reply I beg to say that you should make whatever arrangements you think best in regard to these two schools and I have to ask you to be good enough to advise the Department as soon as you have secured suitable teachers.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
AUG 24 1916

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 23 1916

August 21st, 1916.

485007

Dear Sir:-

Re Indian Day School on Gibson Reserve -

You will recall my letter of last month, deferring nomination for the position of teacher in this school until circumstances should determine whether the services of Mr. James Oliver, M.A., formerly of Christian Island School, would be made use of at Gibson or Georgina Island. In an accompanying letter I am submitting a nomination for Georgina Island.

I therefore beg to nominate Mr. Oliver as teacher for the day school on the Gibson Reserve.

In this connection I beg to call your attention to the fact that the salary paid in the past for this school has been only $400. As a result it has been difficult and usually impossible to secure properly certificated teachers. Mr. Oliver is not only a man with a university education, but a teacher of many years experience. Moreover, he has shown himself particularly well adapted to the management of an Indian School and affairs on the Reserve. In view of his superior qualifications, I hope that it will be possible for the Department to offer him a salary of not less than $500.

Yours truly,

JHA/M.

J. D. McLean, Esquire,
Ass't Deputy & Secretary, Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, August 24, 1916.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant nominating Mr. James Oliver, M.A., for the position of teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that Mr. Oliver may take charge of this school after the holidays and the Department will allow him a salary at the rate of $500.00 per annum. Mr. Superintendent Logan will be advised of his appointment.

H.G.A.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. J. H. Arnup, B.A.,
Assistant Secretary Foreign Missions,
Missionary Society of the Methodist Church,
Wesley Buildings,
299 Queen St., West,
Toronto, Ont.

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a letter
Mr. Sutherland
noted
J.D.

Ottawa, August 24, 1916.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that Mr. James Oliver, M.A., who was formerly teacher of the Christian Island Indian School, has been nominated by the Methodist Missionary Society for the position of teacher of the Gibson Day School. The Department has approved of the appointment of Mr. Oliver as teacher of this school at a salary at the rate of $500.00 per annum.

D.C.A.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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THE MISSIONARY SOCIETY
OF THE METHODIST CHURCH, CANADA.

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ORIGINAL ON
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 24 1916

Toronto, Ont.,
August 21st, 1916.

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Dear Sir,-

As the date approaches for the re-opening of Indian Day Schools, I beg to submit the following review of those schools for which it is my duty to nominate teachers in the Province of Ontario. I also include two schools in the neighborhood of Montreal:

x x x

Gibson:

Nomination submitted herewith.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
AUG 29 1916

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J. H. Armup,
Assistant Secretary.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Indian Day School.
Gibson (via Hala), Ont.
January 3, 1917.

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JAN 13 1917

The Secretary, Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sir.

As indicated in my Report for the Quarter ending Dec, 1916, I am sending you a short supplementary letter re the Attendance at this School since I took charge in the latter part of 1916.

The first thing I noticed on my arrival here in September last was the distance from both School & Church of most of the Indians' houses. This I at once inferred would militate greatly in unfavourable weather against a good attendance, especially in the case of the School, which of course depends on the younger members of the community, and always numbers a fair proportion of girls among its pupils. My inference proved only too correct; though I little anticipated then the dreadful state into which the roads quickly fell during even a short period of wet weather. During such a time, and also in the bitter days of winter, which is very severe on these uplands, it is almost impracticable for any save the more robust children to travel afoot to School. Little children (and there are many on the roll) can't come; and it is hard on the elder ones to do so.

During the warmer days of the Fall the attendance was much better. In one week (Oct 9-13 inclusive) it ran as follows:- M. 12, Tu. 14, Wed. 16, Th. 13½, Fr. 14½ - the last day being an increment one. And so on till Winter came, when the attendance fell with the thermometer and the snow till the usual attendance read as follows;- M. 8, Tu 7, Wed 11, Th. 2½, Fr. 6, or even worse. Then "bad roads" and "bad roads" in a short time became in the parents' mouth

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the stock excuse for a scholar's continued absence from school during the season of bad weather above indicated.

Of course any excuse serves an Indian as a reason for his or her child's absence from school. I have yet to meet an Indian with a real sense of honour or duty, so you cannot use this as a lever. Ambition is either non-existent or torpid, and burns at best when kindled with a very feeble flame. We have no truant officer, and, unless the Indian Act were strictly carried out, we are just as well without one.

I have spoken in church with extreme earnestness on the duty of parents as to the education of children, but it seems only waste of breath; for every Indian's own inclination is a law unto him in matters where no punishment follows the offence.

The sluggish, inert, spasmodic nature of these Indians, young and old, lies as a serious barrier in the way of all progress. Heredity is a tremendous factor in the life of these people, who are Indians to the finger-tips, despite the fact that most of them have almost white skins. The skin is the only thing white about them, I regret to say, in most cases.

I am writing thankly, not pessimistically; for I am doing my best for my charges here. I gave ten prizes of books at the Christmas Gathering, and also candy, &c. I wrote to Mr Logan to ask if there were any fund to do this from; but got no reply. I gave these books, &c. to encourage the scholars; even those who attended only. I am sorry I had to delay my Report; but all the holidays I have been ill with illness of my liver — an attack of pleurisy coupled with a touch of influenza. Kindly pardon all defects & oblige

Yours

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Ottawa, January 18, 1917.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant in reference to the irregular attendance, etc., at the Gibson Indian School.

In reply I beg to say that Mr. Superintendent Logan will be written to in regard to appointing a truant officer for this school. If any of the children are in need of footwear you should forward their names to the Department through the Superintendent's office.

In regard to the prizes, which you state you gave the children, I beg to say that if you will forward vouchers, in duplicate, through Mr. Logan's office for the prizes you purchased to the amount of $5.00 the Department will reimburse you to that extent. Mr. Logan will be instructed to certify these vouchers.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

James Oliver, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian School,
Gibson,
Via Bala, Ont.

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2 letters

Ottawa, January 18, 1917.

Sir,-

The Department is in receipt of a communication from Mr. James Oliver, teacher of the Gibson Indian School, in regard to the poor attendance at his school, which he states is partly due to the bad weather and bad boots.

If a truant officer were appointed for this school it might improve the attendance and I have to ask you to be good enough to state the name of a suitable Indian for this position and also what remuneration he would expect for his services.

Mr. Oliver has been instructed to forward the names of any children in need of footwear to the Department through your office.

The teacher also states that he gave prizes to some of the pupils at Christmas and he has been informed that if he forwards vouchers, in duplicate, through your office for the prizes purchased to the amount of $5.00 the Department will reimburse him to that extent. You will be good enough to certify these vouchers.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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REV. JAMES ENDICOTT, D.D.
GENERAL SECRETARY FOREIGN MISSIONS
REV. JESSE H. ARNUP, B.A.
ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOREIGN MISSIONS
MR. H. H. FUDGER
HONORARY TREASURER

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY HOME MISSIONS
REV. F. C. STEPHENSON, M.D.
SECRETARY
YOUNG PEOPLE'S FORWARD MOVEMENT

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 1 1917

April 30th, 1917.

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Dear Sir:

On May 9th and 10th we plan to hold a Conference of our educational and other Indian missionaries at Muncey.

At the instance of Mr. James Oliver, teacher at the Gibson Reserve, I am writing this note to present a respectful request that he be permitted to close the school in order to attend this Conference.

Yours truly,

JHA/M. Assistant Secretary.

J. D. McLean, Esquire,
Ass't Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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MAY 8 1917

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Ottawa, May 3, 1917.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo stating that on May 9th and 10th you plan to hold a Conference of educational and other Indian missionaries at Muncey and that, at the instance of Mr. James Oliver, teacher at the Gibson Reserve, you are writing to request that he be permitted to close the school in order to attend this Conference.

In reply I beg to say that Mr. Oliver may be granted leave of absence to attend this Conference and Mr. Superintendent Logan will be advised accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. J. H. Arnup, B.A.,
Assistant Secretary Foreign Missions,
Missionary Society of the Methodist Church,
Wesley Building,
299 Queen St., West,
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3 letters
Mr. Logan

Ottawa, May 3, 1917.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that the Department is in receipt of a communication from the Rev. J. H. Arnup, Assistant Secretary Foreign Missions of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, in which he states that on May 9th and 10th they plan to hold a Conference of their educational and other Indian missionaries at Muncey and he requests that Mr. James Oliver, teacher of the Gibson school, be permitted to close the school in order to attend this conference.

Mr. Arnup has been informed that Mr. Oliver may be granted leave of absence to attend this Conference.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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September 16, 1918.

Chief,-

The Department has learned that some of the Gibson Indians are disciples of Thunderwater and that they have been using the school-house for a meeting place.

This building was put up for school and council purposes only and I would like you to see that it is not used for any other purpose. You should see that the caretaker does not allow the key to be taken away for the purpose of these meetings.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Chief Peter Strength,
Gibson Reserve,
Ont.

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September 17, 1918.

Sir,-

The Department is informed that some of the Indians of the Gibson Reserve are followers of Thunderwater and that they have been using the school-house on the reserve for a meeting place.

Chief Peter Strength has been informed that this building was put up for school and council purposes only and he has been asked to see that it is not used for any other purpose. He has also been instructed to see that the caretaker does not allow anyone to take the key in order to use the building for the purpose of these meetings.

The Department would like you to inform the Indians also that meetings of this kind must not be held in the school-house.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 14 1919
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound,

April 11th. 1919

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Sir,—

I beg to enclose to you Quarterly School returns from Gibson School, Watha Reserve.

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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2 letters Mr. Sutherland noted J.D.

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D.I.A.

Ottawa, August 1, 1919.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that, at the request of the Methodist Missionary Society, this Department has agreed to the transfer of Mr. W. E. Jones, late teacher of the Christian Island Indian Day School, to take charge of the Gibson Day School upon the re-opening of that school after the summer holidays, on or about the 2nd of September, next. Mr. Jones' salary will be at the rate of $600.00 per annum.

You will be good enough to give him any assistance you can in his work at Gibson.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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List of ~~Indians~~ Children of School age living in the Black Lake Settlement, Gibsons Reserve.

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Name of Parent.	Name of Children	Age	Distance from Chief's House.	Distance from Present School
Commandant, Dan.	Daniel	10	½	2½
	Annie	8		
	Mina	6		
Sahanatien, James	Sarah	8	¼	2¼
	Florence	6		
White. Charles	Russell	11	¼	3¼
	Wyman	8		
	Wilfred	6		
White. Daniel	Maggie } twins	7	1	3
	Lilly }			
White. Paul	Elizabeth	6	¼	1¾
Strongbow. Chief Peter	Lizzie	14		2
	Willie	11		
Commandant. Mrs Dinah.	Laura	8	'	2.
White. John. Jr.	Dolly	6	¼	1¾

Total 15

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, Gibson Reserve, Nov. 24 1919

Mr. L. Cooke,
Ottawa, Can.

Dear Sir:

We the undersigned parents of children living in the vicinity of Black Lake, Gibson Reserve; beg to ask you to make strong reperesentation on our behalf to the Indian Department; to consider the need of opening a school in our locality during the winter & spring months only.
The distance is so great coupled with the impassable condition of the road during these months, that it is next to impossibility for the small children to attend school.
We parents are anxious to have our little ones to continue in an uninterrupted schooling during the year. As you are acquainted with

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, ... *191*....

the needs and conditions of our peculiar position we trust that you will present our request to the derpartment with effect.

Kindly submit our request to the department and let us know as soon as possible.

We are your petitioners.

Chief P. Strength
Mrs Paul White
Dinah Commandant
Charles White
Mrs Rhoda Commandant
Mrs Thompson
Mrs James Shanatiee
John White Jr.
Mrs Esther White

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RECORDS

Ottawa, December 2nd, 1919.

Sir,-

In connection with the subject matter of the enclosed petition I beg to report that while there last week I looked into the merits of the case.

The settlement of the Gibson reserve is divided into two, one known as the "Black Lake" situated on the western part, and the other as the "School-house" Settlement. The children of the former settlement have now to travel over 2 miles to get to the regular school across a wilderness of forest and rocks, traversing of which, even at best of seasons, is a source of anxiety to the parents as to the safety of their children, but during the inclement weather the trip is more hazardous for the little ones. There are 15 children of school age in the Black Lake Settlement. (List enclosed).

If the Department considers the advisability of granting the request of these Indians, a school could be opened in the home of Chief Peter Strength who is prepared to allow the use of one of his rooms, 21 x 10, well lighted with four windows and has an entrance of its own, for $8.00 a month, which will cover heating, sweeping the room and the use of an organ. The benches now in the old abandoned Methodist Church nearby could be utilized for the use of the pupils and teacher. The Chief's place is about as convenient a place as any for that purpose in the vicinity. Miss Mary Strength, age 18, daughter of the Chief, and an ex-pupil of Mount Elgin Institute, could be engaged for the

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Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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for the 4 months beginning 1st January, next, for $25.00 a month, as assistant to the regular teacher, Mr. Jones, who is willing to supervise her work. As most of the children are small, young and in the primary grades, it is thought that anyone having an ordinary public school education, like Miss Strehgth, who I may add is also quite a musician, could satisfactorily fill the position for the time being. The school material, excepting a blackboard, would not have to be purchased as the supply on hand at the regular school could be used. The school in fact will be a subsidiary to the regular one. The total expenditure involved in such a move would not exceed $135.00 for the 4 months.

Years ago the school on the reserve used to be held alternately every six months on these two settlements, but was found unsatisfactory and the practice discontinued. The present school is doing splendid work and is apparently appreciated by the Indians, as shown by the attendance of the children considering the distance and awful roads they have to travel to get to the school. Last year one of the pupils, Alex Decaire, passed the entrance examinations with honors, and is now continuing his studies in the High School at Parry Sound. The only complaint offered by the teacher was lack of punctuality on the part of the pupils in getting to school in time for the opening exercises and he thinks that if the school had a large bell and rung regularly half an hour before opening, this would be remedied to a large extent.

The teacher, Mr. Jones, an Englishman, about 40, appears to take keen interest in his work as teacher and missionary. He evidently has the confidence and support of the Indians. The practice of appointing teachers on this reserve, as well as on some of the other reserves, in the dual capacity of teacher and missionary, may have some commendable points in its favour. It, however, seems to

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me to be a source of handicap to the attainment of anything like full measure of success in either sphere, and should be discouraged as much as possible. This opinion I may add, is shared by all those engaged in that capacity. In the case of Mr. Jones, while he appears to be attached to the religious side of his work, yet I cannot help thinking that were his efforts wholly given to one line of work, he would attain far greater success. Mr. Jones is engaged in teaching the boys in manuel training and his wife is gratuitously giving her services to teaching the girls in domestic science. Mrs. Jones is a refined English lady and worthy of better environment, feels extremely out of her element on the reserve, and for the sake of her husband's usefulness it would appear advisable to give him every consideration in the matter of transfer to another school, not so isolated as Gibson on the occasion when the Missionary Society releases him from his present incumbency.

I have gathered the following observations from the remarks made by different Indians during the discussion on the timber question and it can be seen that they have grasped the situation rightly. They have learned the value of education; realized that it is the only means available with which their children can confidently expect to make good for themselves; that they now have to live like white people; face the struggle of life with the same equipment as the whiteman and that the greatest onset in this struggle is the acquisition of practical knowledge of the English language. These Indians have got beyond the childish notion so popularly current in the minds of His Oka brethern, viz: that an Indian with his imaginary "treaty rights", will be an Indian as long as the sun shines, etc. From every indication such a delusion is a thing of the past with these people.

Your obedient servant,

Chas. A. Cooke

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Ottawa, December 5. 1919.

Sir,-

Mr. Cooke of this Department, who recently visited the Gibson Reserve, has submitted a petition which he received from the Indian parents of children living in the vicinity of Black Lake on the western part of the reserve, in which they request that a school be opened during the coming winter and spring months only to provide for the education of the children residing in that part of the reserve. They claim that the distance which the children have to travel to the present school and the state of the roads does not warrent them in letting their children travel the distance during the winter. Mr. Cooke states that he consulted you regarding this matter.

The Department is disposed to accede to the request of the Indian parents and give the school a trial during the present winter.

Arrangements have been made with Chief Peter Strength, who will allow the use of one of his rooms, which is well lighted and has an entrance of its own, at a rental of $8.00 per month, which will cover the heating, the sweeping of the room and the use of an organ. The benches in the old Methodist Church nearby can be utilized for the use of the pupils and teacher. This school will be subsidiary to your school and conducted under your direction and supervision. The Department will approve of the appointment of Miss Mary Strength as teacher at a salary of $25.00 per month for the four months, beginning the first of January, next. The Department understands that there is sufficient school material, with the exception of a blackboard, on hand in your school.

I have to request that you will be good enough to make the necessary arrangements to have the room in the Chief's house fitted up, the benches transferred from the church and the necessary supply of school material handed over to the teacher.

Mr. Cooke states that there are fifteen children of school age who reside in the vicinity. It is hoped that the parents will see that they attend regularly, in order that this school may meet with success. You will be good enough to inform the Chief and the other Indians interested of the Department's consent to the opening of a school on this part of the reserve.

The Department will be pleased if you will use your

William E. Jones, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian School,
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best endeavour to have the work started and the arrangements completed to fit up the class-room.

Should a blackboard or any school material be required a requisition should be forwarded for the articles required.

Mr. Superintendent Logan, Parry Sound, is being informed of the Department's approval of the opening of this school.

The Department will be pleased to hear from you after the new year as to the success attained by you in having the work began at this school.

Your obedient servant,

For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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I letter
Miss Bgak
2 Nov
Encl. note
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Ottawa, December 5, 1919.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that the Department has decided to open another school for the winter months for the Indian children residing on that portion of the Gibson Reserve known as Black Lake. The school will be conducted in a room in the home of Chief Peter Strength, who has agreed to allow the use of the room at a rental of $8.00 per month, which will cover the cost of heating, sweeping the room and the use of an organ. Mr. W. E. Jones, the teacher of the Gibson School, is being requested to attend to the fitting up of the room for school purposes and to have the benches in the old Methodist Church nearby transferred for the use of the pupils and teacher.

Mary Strength, daughter of the Chief, and an ex-pupil of the Mount Elgin Institute, has been appointed teacher at a salary of $25.00 per month.

This school is to be open for the winter and spring months only and to start on or about the first of January, next. It will be subsidiary to the present school and the teaching will be carried on by Miss Strength under the direction and supervision of Mr. Jones. There is a sufficient supply of school material on hand at the present school which can be used. Mr. Jones is willing to supervise the work of the teacher and to assist her in every way he can, and the Indians have promised to sent their children regularly to school, there being fifteen of school age who should attend.

It is hoped that this school will meet with every success and be of benefit to the Indian children residing on the Black Lake portion of the reserve.

J.D.

A.G.M.

Your obedient servant,

D. C. Scott

For Asst. Deputy and Secret

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Mission House 152195-1
Gibson Reserve Indian Mission
Lalamation P.O.
Via Bala Ont
Jan 12th 1920.

Re No 152195/1
Dear Sir:- Dec 5th 1919.
(Received Dec 12th

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JAN 15 1920
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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 14 1920
REGISTRY

D.I. Sir.

In reference to the Sch- School on this Reserve I am happy to inform you that it has been started successfully.

There are now 7 scholars on the roll. I do not think that there are many more, if any, of school age up at this district. There may be. There are several pretty near that age & I am of the opinion that eventually there will be a basis for a good school in this fairly populated part of the Reserve.

The Room has been nicely prepared for occupation, & nicely lighted &

We have succeeded in obtaining the seats from the old church.

I have supplied as much as I could in Equipment but the Blackboard, Table, Bell & Other things I ordered middle of December, have not yet arrived.

I visited the School today & found everything O.K. with 5 in attendance.

I would esteem it a favor if you would have ten on the Blackboard, size 8 x 3.

The Teacher finds it difficult to give Pen & Pencil writing on account of no scholars desks being available.

I would suggest the Dept sent in 3 single desks, 2 for Form I Scholars & 1 for Form II. also a map of Ontario & a County Map.

I am glad to inform you that the attendance of Scholars at the Main School

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is about normal.

I am encouraged with the outlook & I feel that with the backing of the Dept & with the Publication we have given the enterprise, a new Era of Educational development on this Reserve has come.

In this connexion, I would say that the Good-Chief who is my best man in all parts of my work here, has already spoken to me about an Evening School for Adults, which has my hearty sympathy & support.

If you would consider such a project. I would willingly co-incide.

I am, Sir, Your Obedient Servant

William. L. Jones.

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Ottawa, January 15, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant informing the Department that you have been successful in starting the school for the Indian children residing on that portion of the Gibson Reserve known as Black Lake. It is hoped that it will continue to meet with every success for the period which it is carried on during the winter months.

With reference to the school supplies I beg to say that the blackboard and other articles asked for were ordered from the Government Stationery Office, to be forwarded to your address, on the 29th of December, last. The Stationery Office is now being asked to have these supplies forwarded as soon as possible. Inquiry should be made at Bala regarding the blackboard, as that is the nearest express office to the school.

A wall map of Ontario and also a map of the District of Muskoka will be ordered, as requested. These maps will be sent addressed to you at Bala, Ont.

An order is being placed with the Geo. M. Hendry Co., Toronto, to ship two single desks No. 6, and one single desk No. 5. These desks will also be shipped to you addressed to Bala. You will be good enough to arrange to have the above material delivered at the school. Any expenses incurred by you for this purpose will be paid upon receipt of properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure. The Geo. M. Hendry Co. are being instructed, when shipping the desks, to also send you their account, in duplicate, which, upon receipt of the desks, you will be good enough to certify and forward to the Department for payment.

With reference to your request that anight school be conducted for the adults on the reserve I have to request that you will be good enough to state where it is proposed to carry on the work, also the probable cost of the same. The Department has, in the past, authorized the conducting of night schools and has paid the teachers for his services at the rate of fifty cents per hour for a period of two hours per night for three nights each week. You will be good enough to furnish further particulars regarding the night school, with any suggestions you care to make, and also state whether, if this school is authorized, the above rate of remuneration would be satisfactory. It is presumed that this school will be conducted in one of the schools.

William E. Jones, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien P.O., Ont.

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I may say that Mr. Superintendent Logan was instructed to furnish prices for a teacher's table. He is now being requested to purchase a table and have it delivered to the school as soon as possible.

Your obedient servant,

D. M. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Ottawa, January 26, 1920

Sir,-

Miss Mary Strength who was appointed teacher of the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve, has applied through Mr. Cooke, of this Department, for an advance on her salary.

As she is a new teacher the Department is not aware as to whether she is giving continuous service and will likely remain while the school is in operation, it cannot, therefore, decide as to the amount of advance which should be allowed her at the present time. Her salary is at the rate of $25.00 a month.

I enclose herewith a couple of voucher forms which I would request that you would fill in for the amount ~~which~~ you recommend she should be advanced on her salary.

As you are aware the salary of teachers is only paid quarterly upon receipt of the quarterly returns, but, in this instance the Department will allow her an advance.

You will be good enough to state ~~that~~ the amount she should now be allowed. Kindly reply as soon as possible.

Your obedient servant

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

William E. Jones, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien,P.O.,
ONT.

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Re 152195/1
Jan 15th/1

152195 Mission House
Gibson Reserve Indian
Mission
Saskatchewan
Via Bala
Ont.

INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 28 1920
RECORDS

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June 21. 1920

J. D. McLean Esq
Dear Sir

Your letter of 15th received with thanks.

In Reference to the Night School of which you made mention, I beg leave to say that the prospect now before us of the general progress of the work here is satisfying indeed.

I now take pleasure in answering your questions.

I purpose if granted to use the Main School House.

The furnishings are quite suitable except that we should require two good Hanging Lamps for lighting. Also I would need the Cupboard & New Teacher's Desk which I believe have been ordered some time.

The only Cupboard I have now is a small one built under the Chimney.

The only Desk I have is an old wooden Rough Structure used here many years.

JAN 31 1920
RECORDS BRANCH

There would be needed several additions in Material such as Books, &c which list I attach on a seperate page.

I would also ask for the School Bell as early as convenient.

I have been feeling around since

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I received your letter & I find the Night School would be popular. The Chief himself has stated that if opened he will attend. I am of the opinion that if started at an early date, during the progress of the Forward Movement which is going on here, such an enterprise would be heartily welcomed & a new sense of the importance of sending the children to the regular session would be awakened in the parents.
Also the foundation would be laid for a larger effort in the coming year.
I had already mentioned the matter of an Institute to the Chief & he said a Frame Building 2 Storey could be erected ready for next winter to be used for School & Institutional purposes, such as Gymnasium, Reading, Recreation, Lectures J.C.
Personally I would suggest the School as previously mentioned for this winter & would ask permission to make arrangements for the Larger Effort for September next.
In regard to the Salary you offer, I beg leave to say this is quite

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satisfactory to myself.
In regard to the Cost. I presume the expenditure would just be as follows.

An Allowance of say $1 50/100 weekly to Caretaker.

The Expenditure for Two Lamps. (Hanging.)

The Equipment as follows.

Returned on 4th of the Jan

12 Arithmetics
12 Grammars
12 Geographies
12 Spellers
12 English } Histories
12 Canadian }
12 The Story of the British People.
12 The Story of the Earth & its Peoples.
12 Hygiene
12 each of the 5 Numbers of Out Copy Books.
12 Composition
24 Scribblers
24 Exercise Books
24 Lead Pencils
12 Penholders
1 Box Sq Pointed, Pen Points,
1 Pointer
1 Black Board Set (as Compass &c)
1 Blotting Paper
1 Wall Map of Hemispheres
1 " " British Isles
1 " " North America
1 " " States
1 " " S. America
1 Set for Square & Cubic Measures.

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Other material can be used from our present School.

In reference to the Blackboard &c ordered for the Sub School I am glad to inform you that everything has now arrived & has been sent to the School with the exception of the Desks & Maps. On receipt of the same, I will follow your instructions immediately.

Thanking You
I am Sir, Your's faithfully
William L. Jones.

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Ottawa, February 2, 1920

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo, in reference to the establishment of a night school for the adults of the Gibson Reserve.

In reply I beg to say that, in view of your report that the Indians will avail themselves of the privilege of a school of this kind, you may make the necessary arrangements to start this school as soon as possible. The school should be kept in operation three nights per week, two hours per night.

You may arrange to purchase the two hanging lamps required for lighting purposes. You should enquire as to the price of the lamps and also from the dealer quoting the lowest price for suitable lamps. You may also purchase five gallons of coal oil and an oil can. You should forward the accounts in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred for the above purchase and certify on the same that the goods have been received and that the prices are fair and just. Upon receipt of these accounts payment will be made.

The books and school material required by you for the night school are being ordered from the Government Stationery Office to be sent to your address.

Mr. Agent Logan was asked to obtain prices for a teacher's desk and a bell for the school some time ago and he is again being requested to have these articles supplied at once.

A cupboard for the storing of the books and material will be ordered from the Geo. M. Hendry Co. Ltd., Toronto, to be sent to your address, Bala, Ont., They are also

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also being requested to forward their account, in duplicate, which, upon receipt of the bookcase, you will be good enough to certify and forward to the Department in order that payment can be made.

This night school may be conducted during the months of February, March and April and, at the end of that time you should forward a return made out on the usual quarterly school return forms, showing the attendance, the total number of nights the school was in operation and the hours taught per night and the total number of hours taught during the time the school was open. Payment for you services will be made at the rate of 50 cents per hour.

It is hoped that the adults of the band will avail themselves of the privilege of the school and that there will be a regular attendance and that the school will meet with every success.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

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Ottawa, February 2, 1920

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that it is the intention to open a night school for the adult members of the Gibson Reserve.

This school will be conducted three nights per week for a period of two hours per night. School will be taught by William E. Jones and carried on in the Gibson School house. Mr. Jones will be paid 50 cents per hour and this night school is to be conducted for a period of three months to April 30th, next.

The Department is authorizing Mr. Jones to purchase the necessary equipment for lighting purposes and in supplying him with the books and stationery required also a cupboard to store the same.

I have to request that you will have the teacher's table, for which you were asked to obtain prices, delivered to the school at once. You should purchase this table at the lowest price obtainable for a suitable article and have it delivered to the school without delay.

You were instructed to obtain prices for a suitable bell for the school. You should also attend to this matter and submit the price at which you can obtain this bell.

The Department is anxious to have the equipment for this school installed as soon as possible and, as the teacher's table is badly needed, you should arrange to have it delivered at once. Kindly inform the Department when this table has been sent to the school.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Alexander Logan, Esq., Assistant Deputy and Secretary
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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MAR 13 1920
RECORDS

St Thomas Ont March 10. 1920

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The Secretary.
Dept: of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa

The Application Form sent to me by Secretary of the Superannuation Commission, to fill in, requires the Applicant to furnish evidence of her teaching experience & services, in the Province of Ontario, by attaching to the Form, letters from the secretaries of the School Boards for which she has taught, certifying to the number of years in each case, and salary given.

I write to ask if you will kindly send me * for the time I had charge of the Indian Day School at Gibson Reserve. I remain

Yours respectfully,
Sara. Le. Stephenson.

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Sara L. Stephenson

Gibson School - Began
duties Sept 2/14 - June 30/16
Salary $45.00

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Ottawa, March 16, 1920

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, in which you request that a certificate be granted covering your services as teacher in the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that a certificate is enclosed herewith, which it is hoped will be satisfactory and serve the purpose for which you require it.

Your obedient servant

D. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Miss Sara C. Stephenson,
79 Toronto Street,
Barrie, Ont.

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Ottawa, March 16, 1920

To Whom it may concern:-

This is to certify that Miss Sara C. Stephenson entered the employ of the Department of Indian Affairs as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School September 2, 1914 and was employed continuously at this school until June 30, 1916. Her services were satisfactory to the Department.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

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MAR 30 1920
RECORDS

Parry Sound,
March 24, 1920.

Minutes of Council Meeting, Gibson Res.

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No-12.

Moved by Peter Stock sec. by John White the school teacher in new school to be sustained until the Summer holidays in June.

Carried.

x x x

A.Logan,
Ind.Supt.

Parry Sound,
March 26th, 1920.

Sir,-

x x x

No-12.

I understand this school is being fairly well attended and would recommend that it be kept on until the commencement of the holiday season, end of June.

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MAR 31 1920

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Alex. Logan, Indian Supt.

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Ottawa, March 31, 1920

Sir,-

With reference to Minute No. 12 of the Council of the Gibson Band at the meeting held on the 24th instant, regarding the continuing of the school which was opened during the past winter for the benefit of the Indian children living in the vicinity of Black Lake on the western part of the reserve, until the summer holidays at the end of June next, I beg to say that, in view of your recommendation and the request of the Council, the Department will approve of this school being continued until June 30th next.

It is hoped that the present teacher will continue in her work until the school closes and her salary will be paid at the same rate as is now allowed her.

You will be good enough to inform all interested parties accordingly.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Alex. Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound,
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In Confidence

Mission House
Gibson Reserve
Sakamatea P O
Ont
April 21. 1920

J. [redacted] McLean Esq.
D. I. A.

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APR 27 1920
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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 30 1920

I am sorry to intrude upon you that at Easter, on going to Parry Sound I discovered to my surprise that a move was being made to remove me from the school, although presumably they wish to retain me as Missionary.

I had planned great things as my report intimated & it has come as a very complete surprise to me.

My school is practically empty. The Sub-School however is doing well. In some special cases even when the children come, I am tried to the hilt with their behaviour.

Everything I fear is developing in accord with their plans & all my plans in their interest are completely upset.

As I am not disposed (for no adequate reason) to be driven away, I intend to leave here at the earliest opportunity.

I am unable to understand how those whom I have pushed forward in the Church Work & trusted implicitly should lift up their heel against me, at the same time, accepting my applause & friendship.

There is a limit & quite unexpectedly I am at it.

I respectfully regret to have to do this so suddenly, especially after the great kindness & interest of the

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Dept. & I am anxious that you will not misjudge me, but will get at the facts & discover the motive of those interested in the matter. I cannot.

I therefore will give them a chance to get a man who will take as deeper interest in things than I have. Altho I say it myself, I do not think it possible.

Shall I return the Night School stuff? It is not needed here now. especially the Maps.

With my profound regrets as aforesaid. I am Yours very faithfully

William E. Jones.

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Ottawa, April 27, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant, and regret that you have found it necessary to give up your duties as teacher on the Gibson Reserve.

It is difficult to understand the action of the Indians in view of the fact that you have endeavoured to do all in your power in their interests., It is hoped, however, that you will remain until the end of the present school year, namely,- till the 30th of June, next, and perhaps by that time the present agitation against you will disappear.

I think it would be well for you to discontinue the night school from the end of the present month. You should forward reports showing the attendance and hours taught, in order that the amount due you for your services can be paid. Any school material on hand for the night school that would be suitable for the day schools should be distributed and any for which there is no use, especially the maps, if not required, should be handed over to Mr. Superintendent Logan, who could no doubt use them in some of the other day schools.

In order that the Gibson Day School may not remain closed, Ishall be pleased to hear from you as to whether you will consent to remain until the 30th of June, next.

It is regretted that the Indians do not take more interest in education and appreciate the work you have been endeavouring to do for them.

Your obedient servant,

D. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

William E. Jones, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien P.O.,, Ont.

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MAY 10 1920
RECORDS

Mission House
Gibson Reserve
Sarnia P.O.
Ont
May 7th 1920.

J. D. McLean Esq.

Sir

Thank you for your letter just received of 3rd

540088

I shall be pleased to hold on until the 30th June. & would have no objection to re-commencing in Sept. if I thought this foolish agitation would cease.

It is, I find, just the work of a minority & not the general opinion in any way.

One or two seem intent on it to say the least.

In any event, I would prefer an Indian Agency or a School by itself as I think the Mission Work & School combined are a great tax on ones strength & nerve.

If such an opportunity could be offered me by the Dept I think I should prefer it to starting up here again.

In regard to an Agency, I would inform the Dept that the Civil Service Commission had my application last May (Re Cape Croker) & I trust I may be still eligible.

I am open to go to any part of Canada.

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Thanking You for past favors & trusting to be enabled to continue in your service.

I am, Sir,

Yours Faithfully

William L. Jones.

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Ottawa, May 11, 1920

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 7th instant, I beg to say that the Department is pleased to know that you will continue in charge of the Gibson Indian Day School until the end of the present quarter.

As you are aware appointments to the position of Indian agent are made by the Civil Service Commission and the Department will keep you in mind and if there is a vacancy in an Indian school available in the near future you will be further advised.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

William E. Jones, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien P,O.,
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22-1-1 Mission House
Gibson Reserve
Hagersville P.O.
Ont.

May 15th 1920.

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MAY 14 1920
RECORDS

540395

J. D. McLean Esq.

Sir I have to inform you that I have discovered the Sub-School has been closed down since April 3rd.

The teacher, Miss Mary Armstrong, will not continue, as arranged.

Once before she resigned & I was able to persuade her to continue.

I have interviewed her on this occasion, but she is insistant & so I have publicly advised the parents to send their children to the Main School for the present.

Will you kindly advise me what you wish me to do in the circumstances.

The roads are very good now & it would be no difficulty for the older Scholars to come down.

None have appeared this morning, however.

Waiting Your Reply,

I am Yours Faithfully.

William-E. Jones.

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Ottawa, May 17, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant informing the Department that the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve was closed on the 30th of April, last.

I have to request that you will be good enough to see that all the school material is properly stored and secured for further use.

The late teacher, Miss Strength, should prepare a return showing the days taught by her during the month of April, in order that the amount of salary due her can be paid.

As the roads on the reserve are now reported by you to be in good condition, it is considered that the children who attended the sub-school during the winter can now very well attend the Gibson School, and you may inform the Indian parents accordingly.

Your obedient servant,
J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

William E. Jones, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien P.O., Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Parry Sound

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

July 7th. 1920

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 9
RECORDS

Sir,--

I beg to report to you that W.E.Jones, teacher and Missionary of Gibson Reserve has left for good. I suppose the Methodist Church has the appointing of a new teacher but would like to say that in talking to the Indians they would much prefer that the Department appoint a teacher. Will it be necessary to have the council pass a resolution to that effect or will the Department move in the matter without.

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept.of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, July 10, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th instant with reference to the appointment of a teacher for the Gibson Indian Day School to succeed William E. Jones, who has resigned.

In reply I beg to say that the nomination of a teacher for this school rests with the authorities of the Methodist Church and they are being requested to endeavour to secure the services of a properly qualified teacher for this school, to begin duties after the summer holidays. As soon as an appointment is made you will be informed.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Ottawa, July 10, 1920.

Rev. Sir,-

I beg to inform you that Mr. William E. Jones, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, has resigned. It will be necessary to secure the services of a qualified teacher to succeed him upon the re-opening of the school after the summer holidays, on or about the first of September, next.

I have, therefore, to request that, as the nomination of a teacher for this school is in the hands of the Methodist Missionary Society, you will be good enough to endeavour to secure the services of a teacher. The name, age, qualifications and experience of the teacher nominated by you should be submitted for the approval of the Department.

It is regretted that Mr. Jones is leaving, as his duties as teacher were satisfactory. It is hoped that you will be able to secure a teacher at an early date who will be satisfactory in all respects.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

over

Rev. J. H. Arnup, B.A.,
Assistant Secretary Foreign Missions,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Wesley Buildings,
299 Queen St., West,
Toronto, Ont.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 14 1920
RECORDS

Toronto, Ont., July 13th, 1920.

Dear Sir:-

In Mr. Arnup's absence I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter, regarding the resignation of Mr. William E. Jones. Mr Arnup will be away from the office for about two weeks, but on his return your letter will receive his personal attention.

Yours sincerely,
(Miss) L. Ulens,
Stenographer.

Mr. J. D. McLean,
Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

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Shamattawa P.O.
Sept 6. 1920

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SEP 8 1920
RECORDS

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Dear Sir
Rec. 9.10.

Will Kindly See about the teacher for our School down. its time the School Should be open the days a fine and roads are good. Will you look after these things whats going to be done. if its the Missonery Society part to do it will you let them know about it Soon.

Yours truly Obedient Servant
Chief Peter Strength

SCHOOLS BRANCH
SEP 10 1920

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Ottawa, September 10, 1920

Reverend Sir,-

I beg to refer you to official letter of July 10th, last, requesting you to nominate a teacher for the Gibson Indian Day School and to ask that you will be good enough to state what action you have taken in endeavouring to secure the services of a teacher for this school.

The Department is anxious that this school be re-opened as soon as possible and it is hoped that you will be able to nominate a teacher at an early date. I shall be pleased to hear from you regarding the matter.

Your obedient servant

A. F. MacLean

for Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Rev. J. H. Arnup, B.A.
Assistant Secretary Foreign Missions,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Wesley Buildings,
299 Queen Street, West,
Toronto, Ont.

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Ottawa, September 10, 1920

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant, regarding the securing of a teacher to re-open the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that the nomination of a teacher for this school is in the hands of the Methodist Church authorities and Rev. J. H. Arnup, Assistant Secretary for Foreign Missions of the church, is again being requested to endeavour to secure the services of a teacher at an early date and it is hoped that he will be able to do so and that a teacher will soon be secured.

Your obedient servant

for Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Chief Peter Strength,
Shanatien P.O.,
Ont.

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YOUNG PEOPLE'S FORWARD MOVEMENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 13 1920
RECORDS

Toronto, September 11, 1920.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:- No. 22-1-1. September 10th.

In the absence of Mr. Arnup from the office I am endeavoring to answer your letter as above.

I have been corresponding with several people in regard to Indian schools and at last I have secured a teacher for the Gibson day school. Her name is Miss Mary A. Black. She holds a second class permanent certificate and has twenty-six years experience. I trust this name will be quite satisfactory to you.

I am continuing to work on the Georgina Island and the Parry Island schools. I expect I shall be able to report to you with regard to these during the course of a few days.

Yours faithfully,

Arthur Barner

AB/H

SCHOOLS BRA.
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Dear Sir

I the nomination
Gibson School is accepted
Please leave you to notify the Indian
Agent of the fact.

Yours faithfully
Arthur Barnes

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Ottawa, September 14, 1920.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant nominating Miss Mary A. Black, who holds a second class permanent certificate, for the position as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will approve of the appointment of Miss Black. I should be pleased if you would inform her accordingly. She should arrange to take up her duties as soon as possible. Mr. Superintendent Logan is being informed of her appointment and will be requested to give her every assistance he can in her work. The salary allowed will be at the rate of $600.00 per annum, with bonus additional at the rate of $150.00 per annum during the period which it is continued to teachers in Indian day schools.

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Your obedient servant,

D. C. Scott

For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. Arthur Barner,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Wesley Building,
299 Queen St., West,
Toronto, Ont.

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2 Letter
Miss Black
m.s. '23

Ottawa, September 14, 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that the authorities of the Methodist Church have nominated Miss Mary A. Black, who holds a second class permanent certificate, for the position as teacher in the Gibson Indian Day School. The Department is approving of her appointment and requesting the church authorities to inform her to take up her duties as soon as possible. The salary allowed will be at the rate of $600.00 per annum, with bonus additional at the rate of $150.00 per annum during the period it is continued to teachers in Indian day schools.

I have to request that you will be good enough to grant Miss Black every assistance you can in her work. I should be pleased if you will inform the Department at an early date as to the date upon which she begins duties.

If any supplies are required you should instruct her to prepare a requisition and forward it to the Department in the usual way.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. Kinsella
For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 23 1920
RECORDS

Parry Sound

Sept.21st. 1920

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 22-1-1
Sept.24th./20
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

545623

Sir,—

I beg to repprt to you that Gibson Indian School opened on Sept.16th.. Miss Black is in charge.
I left some requisition forms and instructed her to send in same for any supplies she may require. I also instructed the truant officer to get busy and round up all the absentees which he promised to attend to at once.

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept.of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, November 19th, 1920.

Memorandum:

Schools Branch:

While at Gibson Reserve last week the Chief and some of the principal Indians residing on that portion bordering the north end of Black Lake, requested me to submit to the Department the question of re-opening the subsidiary school for the winter and spring months, as it was done last winter with evident satisfaction. The former teacher, Miss Mary Strength, is prepared to teach again for $35.00 a month, which is an increase of $10.00 a month over last season's salary. I would recommend that the school be reopened and that Miss Strength be given the salary asked for by her.

Chief Strength, in whose house the school is conducted, also asked for an increased allowance for the use of the room which includes heating, caretaking &c. from $8.00 to $10.00 a month. I do not think there is any reason just now for granting the request of the Chief.

If any funds are available for this school, I should like to see it expended towards equiping it with 4 or 5 small double desks. It is certainly in need of such equipment. There are only 3 single desks and some long wooden benches in the school.

Chief Peter Strength

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Ottawa, November 23, 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that it has been decided to re-open the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve to accommodate the children residing on that portion of the reserve bordering the north end of Black Lake. Mr. Cooke, of this Department, who recently visited the reserve, states that your daughter, Miss Mary Strength, is prepared to perform the duties as teacher during the present winter for the sum of $35.00 a month.

The Department will be pleased if she will arrange to re-open the school on the first of December, next,and it should be continued until the end of April, next, a period of five months. A salary at the rate of $35.00 per month will be allowed Miss Strength for her services. The schoolsis to be conducted in your house, the same as was done last winter, and the Department will allow you for the rent of the room for school purposes, including the heating and caretaking, the sum of $8.00 per month, which is the full amount that can be provided for this purpose.

If any material, such as books, stationery, etc., are required, your daughter should prepare a requisition and forward it to the Department, when the supplies considered necessary will be sent.

I shall be pleased if you will inform the Indian children of the re-opening of the school and arrange to have everything ready to start work on the first of December, next. It is considered that there is sufficient equipment on hand and the Department has no funds to provide more desks.

I shall be pleased to hear from you as to whether this school re-opens on the first of December and the number of children that are attending. Mr. Agent Logan is being informed of the Department's decision to have the school conducted again this winter.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Chief Peter Strength,
Shanatien P.O.,
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I letters
Miss Beck
D.I.B.

Ottawa, November 23, 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that it has been decided to re-open the subsidiary school on the Gibson Reserve during the coming winter months. The former teacher, Miss Mary Strength, will perform the duties as teacher and the Department is allowing her salary at the rate of $35.00 per month. This school is to be open from the first of December, next, until the end of the following April.

On the occasion of your next visit to this reserve you should report as to the success which is being attained in the work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Extract from letter from Chief Peter Strength, Sahanatien P. O, Ont., dated November 27, 1920, in regard to sub-school on the Gibson Reserve. Original on 152195/4.

I received your letter today about the sub-school. We have everthing arranged for the school to re-open on the first of Dec.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 6 1921
RECORDS

Parry Sound

Jan.4th. 1921

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 549683
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JAN 7 1921

I beg to report to you that when at Gibson Reserve I visited the Sub School and find it running quite satisfactorily. There is an attendance of eight at present and expect three more after the New Year. The teacher said she had not received the six primers ordered. She opened on Dec.1st. and would like to get her pay at end of January for two months. I told her to make out regular report at end of January and I would forward same to Department with a request for payment of salary.

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept.of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, January 7, 1921.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th instant reporting that the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve is progressing satisfactorily.

The Department is pleased to learn that this schôol is a success.

With reference to the six Primers ordered by the teacher I beg to say that it is hoped that the Stationery Office will be able to fill this order very shortly.

It is noted that this school was opened on the first of December, last. At the end of the present month, upoh receipt of a request to that effect, the Department will forward the amount of salary due the teacher for the two months she will have taught.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alex. Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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C.R.Medland Esq.,
Reorganization Branch
Civil Service Commission

Department of Indian Affairs.

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Ottawa

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JAN 27 1921

Gentlemen-

I hereby make application to you for an increase of salary.

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At present it is on a basis of seven hundred & fifty dollars. including bonus

I wish it to be

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on a basis of
eight-hundred and
fifty including
bonus. dating from
January 1st, 1924."

Hoping you may see
your way clearly
to grant it—

I am, respectfully
Mary A. Black

Substation
Teacher of Gibson Reserve.

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Ottawa, January 28, 1921.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant applying for an increase in your salary as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that, as you have only been teaching this school since September, last, and there has been no report received from the Public School Inspector regarding the success of your work, the Department is not prepared at the present time to make any addition in the amount now allowed you. It is expected that Mr. Public School Inspector Scovell will shortly visit your school and, upon receipt of his report, your request will receive consideration.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Mary A. Black,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, February 21, 1921.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,-

Miss Mary A. Black, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, recently applied for an increase in salary. She was appointed teacher of this school at a salary of $600.00 per annum, with bonus additional at the rate of $150.00 per annum, and she began duties on September 1st, last. She has a permanent Second Class Certificate.

Mr. Public School Inspector Scovell, who recently visited this school, states as follows,- "I find that Miss Black is a real teacher. Her methods show both training and experience. She is a very earnest teacher and devoted in her efforts to be of service and I believe she is well entitled to the $100.00 increase she is asking for".

There is an enrolment of 30 pupils at this school, with an average attendance of 17.

I would recommend that she be granted the increase asked for by her, namely,- $100.00, and that it date from the first of January, last. We are paying a salary of $800.00 per annum and bonus at the Shawanaga School in the same agency for a teacher having the same qualifications.

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D. Scott

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Ottawa, March 1, 1921.

Madam,-

In further reference to your application for an increase in your salary as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, I beg to say that, in view of the report of the Inspector, who recently visited your school, as to your methods and the success with which you are meeting in the work, it has been decided to grant you an increase of $100.00 in your salary from the 1st of January, last. This will make your salary from that date at the rate of $700.00 per annum, and you will also receive the bonus additional at the rate of $150.00 per annum during the period it is continued to teachers in Indian day schools.

Mr. Superintendent Logan, Parry Sound, is being informed of the increase in salary being granted you.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Mary A. Black,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien, Ont.

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I Letter

Noted for

Ottawa, March 1, 1921.

Sir,-

An application has been received from Miss Mary A. Black, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, for an increase of $100.00 in her salary.

Mr. Public School Inspector Scovell reports, after visiting this school, as follows,- "I find that Miss Black is a real teacher. Her methods show both training and experience. She is a very earnest teacher and devoted in her efforts to be of service, and I believe she is well entitled to the $100.00 increase she is asking for."

In view of the Inspector's recommendation the Department has decided to increase Miss Black's salary by $100.00 per annum from the first of January, last. This will make the salary which she receives at the rate of $700.00 per annum from that date and she will also be entitled to receive the bonus during the period it is continued to teachers in the Indian day schools.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alex. Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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J. L. McLean.
Secretary.

Sahamahen P.O
Muskoka Ont
May 27. 1921

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 30 1921
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Dear Sir,-

I would like to know what is keeping my money back what I earned for teaching the Sub-school. I need the money just as bad as anybody else would. So please send it down soon as possible.

Yours truly

Miss Mary Strength

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAY

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Ottawa. May 31, 1921.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th instant, regarding the payment of salary due you as teacher of the Sub-school on the Gibson Reserve.

In reply I beg to say that, if you will forward a return showing the attendance, days taught, etc., for the period from February 1st, to April 30th, the date on which the school was to close, the amount of salary and bonus due you for that period will be paid.

I may say that no salaries are paid to teachers until their returns are received. A supply of blank forms for the purpose of making out the returns are enclosed herewith. Kindly prepare these returns as soon as possible and forward them direct to the Department when a cheque for the amount of salary and bonus due will be sent you.

I would be pleased if you would state what has been done with the school material, books, etc., used in the school and if you have arranged to have them stored securely until they are required again should the school be re-opened next fall.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLean.

J. D. McLean.
Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Miss Mary Strength,
Sahanatien P.O.,
Ont.

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OTTAWA, June 13th, 1921.

Sir, -

In official letter of November 23rd last, you were informed that it was decided to re-open the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve during the winter months, or from the 1st of December until the end of April, last.

Returns showing the attendance were received from the teacher, Miss Mary Strength, for the months of December and January. No returns, however, were received showing the attendance, days taught, etc., for the months of February, March and April. The Department understands that Miss Strength prepared a return for these three months and forwarded it to you. If you have this return, I have to request that you will certify the same, and send it to the Department as soon as possible. In order that there may be no further delay in the payment of salary, a cheque for the amount due for the three months has been sent to Miss Strength, but the amount of bonus due cannot be paid until this return is received.

The Department agreed with Chief Peter Strength to pay him rent at the rate of $8.00 per month for the part of his house used for school purposes, which amount included the heating and caretaking. The rent has not been paid for the 5 months this school was open, and I will be pleased if you will forward a voucher, in duplicate, covering the amount of rent due at the above rate for the 5 months the school was in operation last winter.

Kindly give this matter your prompt attention.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
PARRY SOUND, ONT.

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July. 7 — 1921

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Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

JUL 11 1921

Sirs —

Since sending in my report I remembered I had forgotten two pupils' names which should have appeared in the list of careless attendance at school.

These two children are not sent to school to get much headway with them —

The girl is not very strong and would not come in winter. but in the summer they could possibly make more effort —

They were kept at home part of the time because a boy who attended sub school and came up & my school had been using indecent language to the littlel girl.

This boy is Russell White age 14

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told Russell's father that his boy had been saying what he should not say to a little girl and warned the father to teach his boys to be pure -

This boy has only attended my school 4½ days

He did not attend much as the people were moving to Gala for the summer. I do not know for certain how long they stay there.

This boy is only in 1st Book.

Respectfully
M. A Blake
Teacher

Since writing I have just been informed that Thomas Stock, Louis Hiller & Chester Hiller are going to attend some school up in Manitoulin Island. They go in August. It will no doubt be a blessing to Thomas who may get a start there to prepare him for life. There will be plenty to teach after they are gone.

Mary A Blake

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to to my own tuition I was late in starting school a few times. In most cases it was made up at some other part of the day.

I did not send in a weekly report of absentees at all times sometimes I knew the cause of absence by having inquired myself.

Record of visits to school since 1921.

Mr Logan	2
Chief Sturgeth	3.
Roman Catholic Priest from Parry Sound	1

Mary A Black
Teacher

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Kahnawake
July 5th - 1921.

Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa -

Watha School. Remarks -

Thomas Stock - 12 yrs. of age was suspended from school in April and has not been attending any school. He would not obey and the school was very much disturbed when he was present. I wrote to his father to have him placed in a school where he could attend regularly & get a good education to fit him & take his place in the world as a good citizen.

I believe this boy has good ability and perhaps might be a better boy under better influences. I do not consider him a bad boy, but an untrained boy with good possibilities which I felt could not be developed under present existing conditions

1st. The distance from school with bad roads, when it is bad weather

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2nd Mother cannot talk English.
3rd Sent to school irregularly. This is a record of his attendance from
Sept. 1920 to Dec. 1921 - 20 days
Jan 1921 to March 1921 17½ "
April 1921 5½ "
Zolat 43 days.

4th From what I hear the home influence is not as conducive as it might be to prepare a boy for to be a good boy. When the mother wants to punish the boy the father interferes when the father wants to punish the mother interferes.

Louis Hiller 10 yrs. Celester Hiller 8 yrs. Catholic in Religion Mother kept them out of school all the months of June - Louis Hiller disagrees with the Teacher - Besides Celesters cap had been rid and could not be found for a day. Mother was annoyed. Things happen when children disobey rules and Celester is to blame for cap or rather hat disappearing.

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In regard to children who attended sup.- school taught by Mary Strongth
Not many of them attended after
school closed.
This was owing to the long
distance and not having
some older person to guard
going & coming to school
As there are dangers and
sometimes the boys are not as
gentle nor as thoughtful
as they should be -
There should either be
two schools or proper
arrangement for the safe
supervision of little children
going & coming along the roads
at such long distances

In regard to pupils who were
supposed to attend my school.
The following did not attend
as regularly as they should for
proper progress -
Albert Marlett - 14 yrs.
Thomas Stock 12 "
Bella Sahanalten 10 "
Jamie Hayes 10 "
Mitchell White 7 yrs kept at home
because he was learning bad words at-

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chool.
This school was in a very dis organized condition when I came here to teach. Pupils are somewhat subdued and better disciplined with more respect for authority. They are not up to the mark yet.
Parents think I was not strict enough. But for a time they were very disobedient and almost incorrigible but with God's help they are much better now except a few who have not been at school sufficiently long enough to be disciplined. For example Russell White, & Alfrid White, Thomas Stock.
Russell White & Thomas Stock would be better placed in an Industrial School.
With pupils who have attended pretty regularly I have been able to lay a foundation where next year they can go ahead more quickly. They were very much behind in a knowledge of the primary principles. All this succeeds

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mes from God working along
with you and blessing your
efforts.

Some want a new teacher
put in here who can control
the children better than I have
done. Changing teachers is not always for the best.
It takes the first year to know
your school, pupils & parents,
also homes well and to get a start.
There is a Missionary Preacher
Rev: Mr James from Parry Sound
who supervises the Church work
here and comes to preach every
third Sunday. This was the
best arrangement the
Conference could make at
present.

If you want me to continue
teaching here next year let me
know when you send me
my money.

If you think it better to put
in another teacher this
is a matter for your prayerful
consideration as to what is
for the best interests of these people
spiritually & intellectually.

Respectfully
Mary A Black.

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INDIAN OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 11 1921

At Parry Sound

July 8th. 19.21

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Sir,

I beg to enclose to you School report from Miss Black, teacher at Gibson Reserve, for the month of June 1921.

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept.of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Miss Black
M.J.B. to note

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OTTAWA, July 12th, 1921.

Sir, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th instant enclosing a communication from Miss Black, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, reporting on the cases of several children who did not attend regularly.

In reply, I beg to say that it is noted that arrangements have been made to place three of these children, viz: Thomas Stock, Lewis and Celester Hiller in an Industrial School. There is one other case, viz: Russell White who should also be placed in an Industrial School, and if it is possible for you to arrange to have him sent to a school of the denomination to which he belongs, it would be advisable to do so.

The Department will be pleased to retain the services of Miss Black for another year at the same salary as is now paid her. I will be pleased if you will inform her accordingly, and also let the Department know whether she will remain for another year or not.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Sahanatien. Ont
July 8th 1921
Gibson Reserve.

Immediate

Sec. Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa. Ont

Esteemed Sir. Let me take the liberty in writing a few lines to our Honorable Sirs. to explain the state of affairs. in Our School. **concerning the incompetency of the school-teacher.**

I do not doubt that: **Miss Black** our school-teacher. is a good and educated woman.

But. she can not keep order. in the school. Children. does what they like. sing and whistle. and play she cannot scold them into submission. And on account of this they cannot learn - in the least.

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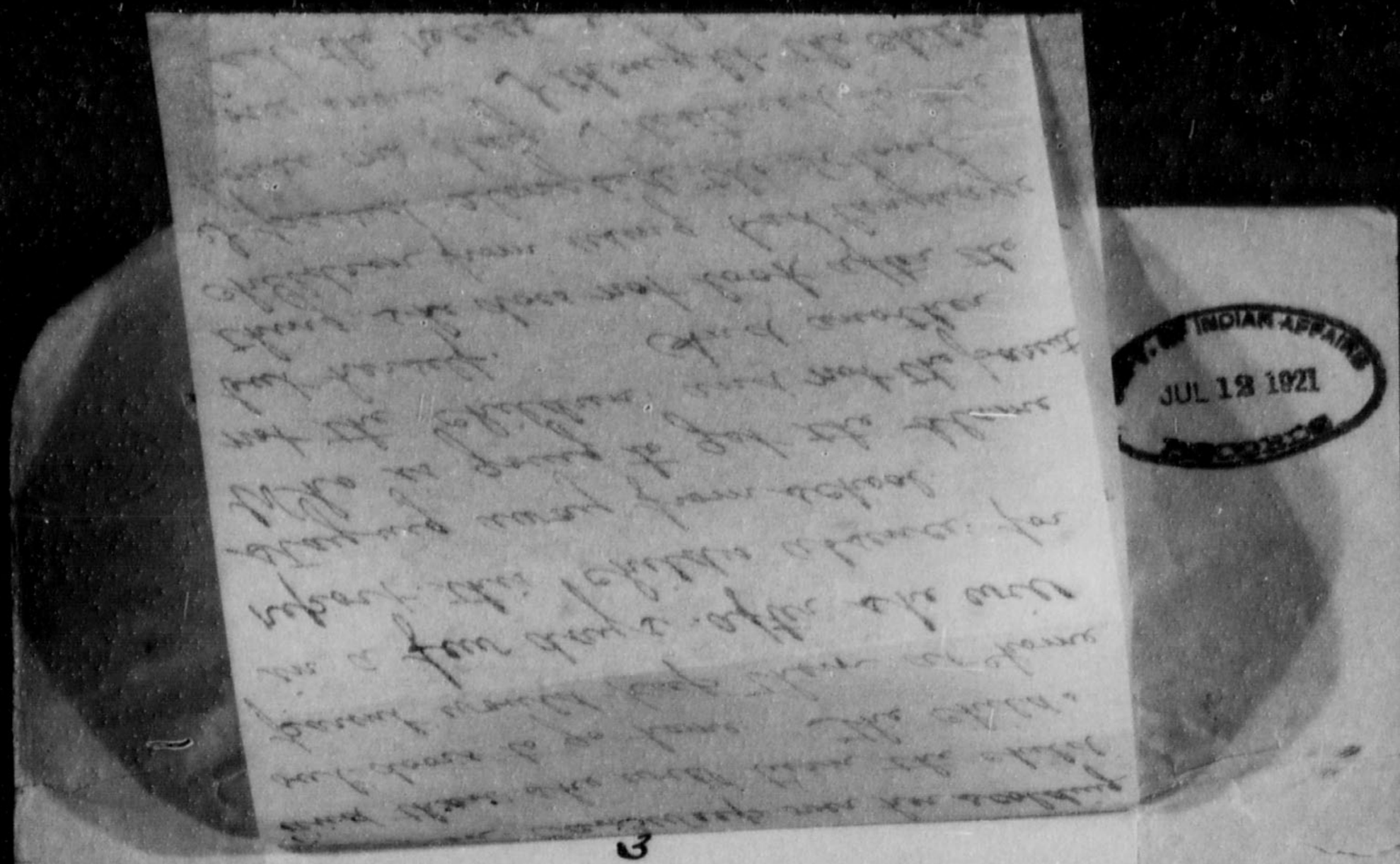
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She cries and weeps more than the children can weep over her scolding and then she will turn the child out-doors to go home: The child's parent would keep them at home in a few days after she will report this child's absence: for staying away from school.
Who is going to get the blame not the children and not the parent but herself: And another thing she does not look after the children from using bad language I passed alongside the school-house one day. I listened to the noise inside. I thought the children had the recess. no. I overheard one pupil reading his lesson between the intervals of the din of laughter and whistling and yelling and runing around the room.

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Now Yours Honorable Sirs Consider
these facts carefully and recognize
that that what I am telling is the
truth and any body can corroborate
my statements just the same
I am not runing the school-teacher
down any other way. only same these
facts. what I already stated.
what is the use. what is the sense
of spending several hundred
dollars year in and year out in
employing unsuitable teacher and
get none of the least benifit to the
children. only money wasting uselessly
The talk of the majority of parents
decided to keep their children
at home if the same teacher is
going to remain for the next term
and regardless of the truant-law
which is going to be ignored. and
trouble is certain to brew thereafter

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So I resort this way. to apply to the Dept of what I cannot do myself.. Several families are not able to fix for themselves as they cannot write. So I Write this on their behalf. and also for myself.
I will now anticipate for favorable results B my request. and forthwith. in employing a new teacher good and Cross. that can keep order in School and subdue unruly pupils.. I will gaurantee nobody will raise a kick that time parents will be governed strictly by the Truant-law.
Let me hear from you soon
I remain Yours Truly

William Kennie - No 42.

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OTTAWA, July 14th, 1921.

Sir, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th instant regarding the teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, and requesting that the services of another teacher be secured for the coming school year.

In reply, I beg to say that the services of the present teacher, Miss Black, are reported by the Public School Inspector to be satisfactory, and she has been engaged for another year. The Department understands that several of the children which she was unable to control are being placed in Industrial Schools, and it is hoped that there will be no further cause for complaint on the part of the Indians regarding the discipline in the school, and that Miss Black will make a success in the work during the next school year.

It is hoped that the Indian parents will see that their children of school age attend regularly, and that they give Miss Black every assistance they can in her efforts to carry on the work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Wm. Rennie, Esq.,
Sahanatien, Ont.

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Mr Charles Cook
Department of
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Ottawa
Ontario

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, Sept 8 1921

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Dear sir

Just a few lines to you I asked Chief Peter Strenght the other day if there will be any school and he said no. So I ask you to see about it we want school again on this end. Will you see about it soon. We are all well and hope you are the same and family best regart to all

Yours truly

Dina Commandant

SCHOOLS BRANCH
SEP 17 1921

Schools Br. This letter has reference to the subsidiary school on Gibson reserve. Evidently the Indians are considering whether the arrangement of past years ever be continued.

Chas. A Cooke

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22-1-1.

OTTAWA, Sept. 13th, 1921.

Sir,

As the Department desires to make arrangements in due time for the re-opening of the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve during the coming winter months, I will therefore be pleased if you will state whether you will consent to this school being again conducted in your house, the same as was done last winter. The Department will pay you for the rent of the room used for the purpose, including the heating and caretaking, at the rate of $8.00 per month.

We will also be pleased to accept the services of your daughter, Miss Mary Strength, and will pay her at the same rate as she received last year, viz: $35.00 per month.

We would like to have this school re-opened on or about the 1st of December, next.

It is hoped that you will give your consent to the above arrangements.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Chief Peter Strength,
Sahanatien P.O.,
Ont.

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22-1-1.

OTTAWA, Sept. 13th, 1921.

Madam, -

Replying to your letter of the 8th instant, addressed to Mr. Chas. A. Cooke of this Department, regarding the re-opening of the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve during the coming winter months, I beg to say that enquiry is being made regarding the matter, and it is hoped that satisfactory arrangements can be made to continue the school again this coming winter.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Mrs. Dina Commandant,
Sahanatien, Ont.

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SEP 29 1921
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Ottawa, Sept 26 1921

560755

Dear sir

I received your letter about the school I am glad about it. we want school on this end because it is so far for the little one's to go to school. and if you could get it open Early sooner than last fall and keep it open till the end of June so the Children could have school right along it is very handy here for them

Yours truly

Dina Commandant

SCHOOLS BRANCH
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OTTAWA, Oct. 6th, 1921.

Sir, -

Regarding the conversation held with you while in the office yesterday in reference to the re-opening of the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve, I beg to say that the Department agrees with you that it would be advisable to re-open this school on the 1st of November, next.

I have, therefore, to request that you will make all arrangements to have this school ready to re-open on that date. A salary at the rate of $35.00 per month will be paid your daughter, Miss Mary Strength, for her services as teacher, and she will also be entitled to bonus at the rate of $15.00 per month up to the end of March next.

The Department will pay you for the rent of the room in your house used for school purposes, including the heating and caretaking, the sum of $8.00 per month.

You should have your daughter prepare a list of any school material, such as books, pencils, scribblers, etc., that she requires and forward to the Department as soon as possible, in order that these supplies can be ordered and on hand when the school re-opens.

I will be pleased if you will let me know when your daughter begins duties.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Chief Peter Strength,
Sahanatien P. O.,
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22-1-1 A.

OTTAWA, Oct. 6th, 1921.

Sir, -

The Department is arranging for the re-opening of the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve for the winter months. This school will re-open on the 1st of November next, to be continued until the end of March next.

Miss Mary Strength has been appointed teacher, at a salary of $35.00 per month, supplemented by the bonus allowed teachers of Indian day schools.

This school will be conducted in the same quarters as last winter.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Alex. Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Nov 3rd 1921

Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Sir

I feel that a number of the children are not taking advantage of the educational opportunity afforded them.

I have now twelve who attend pretty regular and they are the only

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we do I have been able
to give a start - I feel
a good foundation
but - there are others
who are not getting
the education and
time is going and they
will grow up illiterate
like some of the young
men around here now.
I know some of them
live very far off.. never
the less something ought
to be done to urge the
parents to do their utmost
to educate their children
and promote regularity
of attendance

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Mr Logan suggested having a vehicle call for the children who live far off. bring them to school and take them home, and then have only one school This is what should be done for the best interests of the pupils and Mr Logan's suggestion was the right-one but it apparently cannot be carried out for nobody is willing yet to take up the task

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However ± if the question
of attendance were
fully investigated now &
matters adjusted
properly - it might
last for a few years
and bring forth good
results.

The Chief has not visited
the school this term.

Mr Dewassa did not
do the outside work. He
handed over the locks
& stove polish - for the
new Caretaker (Mr Laforce)
to put on and to do the
work outside
Mr Laforce put on one lock

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and that- on the outside-
wood shed door - That- is all
that- is done outside in the
way of repair-

The school needs banking
round the foundation to
keep the floor warm
for winter..

Mr Laforce resumed his
duties (Oct 18th).

It- is no wonder I closed
school a short time ago
when no cleaning had
been done all holidays
and started in to teach
in a dirty school. also
seali d window panes broken
The cold blowing in, but-
these are mended now
Mrs Devasse gave the school

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a good scrubbing- but the walls were whol- dusted down.
The caretaker should be provided with a wall dust- mop.

I have been trying to get- things improved and set on a good solid basis. so that the educational problem around here may be greatly improved

Yours respectfully
Mary A Black

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Extract from 14-22.

Sahanatien P.O.,
Muskoka, Nov. 3, 1921.

D. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Dear Sir:

x x x x x

And another thing about the money that is spent on Sub-school is it the band's money. If it is, the people don't want it to have the school opened again. If it is, let me know soon as possible as the school will not open until you answer this letter.

Yours truly,

Chief Peter Strength.

This school teachers salary as well as main Gibson is from vote R27.

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22-1-1A.

Ottawa, November 9, 1921.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge yours of the 3rd instant, referring to the payment of teacher's salary and expenses in connection with the sub-school that is to be held in your home on the Gibson reserve. In reply I beg to state that the salary to Miss Mary Strength, as well as the expenses of the main school on the Gibson reserve, are being paid from the Government Vote for School Purposes.

I have noted that the people of your band do not want this sub-school open again if the expense is to fall upon the band fund. This is a very short-sighted policy and the Department is convinced that the Indians of the Gibson reserve are not very much interested in the education of their children. However, it has always been the intention to pay the expenses from our own sources.

If the attendance at the sub-school,as well as at the main school on the Gibson reserve, is not a cause for satisfaction, the Department will seriously consider withdrawing our offer of a sub-school in your home. We look to you to get this school open immediately and we would like you to instruct your daughter, Miss Mary Strength, to this effect. For further instructions refer to our letter of the 6th ultimo.

Your obedient servant,

R.T.F.

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Chief Peter Strength,
Sahanatien P.O.,
Ont.

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22-1-1A.

D.

Ottawa, November 9, 1921.

Madam:

I have to acknowledge yours of the 3rd instant with reference to school matters on the Gibson reserve.

The Department has decided to open the sub-school at Chief Peter Strength's home in the immediate future. Miss Mary Strength has been appointed teacher at a salary of $35.00 per month. I have written to Chief Strength and advised him that, if the attendance does not keep up in both schools, some other arrangement will be made and the sub-school discontinued.

If, at any time, the Department can assist you in your work, by instructions to Mr. Logan, the Indian Superintendent at Parry Sound, or to Chief Strength, we will be glad for suggestions from you.

Regarding any minor repairs and regular caretaker's duties, I am sure that, if you use a little tact with Mr. Laforce, who has resumed his duties according to your letter, matters will go along smoothly.

I trust that your efforts to make this school of value will meet with success.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Mary Black,
Sahanatien P. O., Ont.

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Supplementary.

Bracebridge, March 18, 1922.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS MAR 27 1922 RECORDS

Indian Dept.,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,

Perhaps you will pardon me for referring to a condition of affairs which I stumbled upon when I visited the Reserve on Tuesday of last week. I was wending my way along, intending to call on Miss Strength for a while before dinner. When I got as far as Miss Black's school, I called for a minute to tell her that she would likely have company that afternoon. It was then that I learned that Miss Strength was not teaching and that her school was closed.

I drove on as far as Mrs. Commandant's, where I had dinner. I got some more particulars there about the trouble in the school. It seems that it was all over Miss Strength's own brother. He thought he could do as he liked since it was only his sister that was teaching. But she thought that he had as much right to obey her as the other pupils had, and whenevr she undertook to chastise him, he simply made his way into the other part of the house, where he found ample protection at the hands of his mother. Miss Strength, seeing the folly of trying to control a school under these conditions, and having a certain amount of desirable spunk, closed the school, left home, and took up the duties of cook in a camp some distance away.

I did not call upon the Strength's as Mr. Strength was not at home, Miss Strength was away, and Mrs. S. cannot speak English.

An early settlement of the difficulty is earnestly desired by the parents, and the Chief, it is thought, should take immediate action.

Yours respectfully, H.R. Scovell, I.P.S.

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Ottawa, March 28, 1922.

Sir:-

I have yours of the 18th instant, informing the Department of the inactive condition of the Gibson sub-school.

In reply I beg to state that the Department is grateful for this information concerning Miss Strength and the reasons for the closing of her classroom: your intimation was the first we had received. As our agent is somewhat removed from the Gibson school, we have relied largely on Chief Peter Strength to keep us in touch with conditions.

I have to inform you that, as this sub-school, held in the Chief's home on the Gibson reserve, was but an experiment, we are now officially closing the room for the time being.

The Department is grateful for your interest.

Your obedient servant,

R.T.F.

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

H. R. Scovell, Esq.,
Public School Inspector,
Bracebridge, Ont.

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Ottawa, March 28, 1922.

Sir:-

The Department is informed that the sub-school held in your home on the Gibson reserve is closed. I understand the reason for such action is that your daughter, the teacher, did not receive the proper support in the matter of disciplining a member of your family.

I wish to refer to official communication of the 9th of November, of this file number, in which you were informed that this sub-school, presided over by your daughter, Miss Mary Strength, was more or less in the nature of an experiment. In view of the information that is now to hand, the Department is forced to close the school for the time being.

Miss Mary Strength should prepare a report, showing the number of days for which the school was open, and forward the same to the Department, when payment can be made for her services. Your account for rent and caretaking, at the rate of $8.00 per month, should also be sent to this Department.

The Department expects you to store the desks and school equipment and look after the same until further instructions.

R.T.R.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Chief Peter Strength,
Sahanatien P.O.,
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22-1-1.

Ottawa, March 28, 1922.

Sir:-

I have to inform you that the sub-school on the Gibson reserve has been closed. This action was necessary a few weeks earlier than was anticipated, because of lack of discipline in the school. Miss Mary Strength, the teacher, was, I believe, not altogether responsible for this trouble.

The Department has communicated with Chief Peter Strength, asking him to have a return prepared by his daughter, the teacher, showing the number of days taught, and an account in his own favour for rent for the room in which the classes were held.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Alex. Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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MAR 28 1922
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Parry Sound

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

March 26th. 1922

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EXD.

Sir,—

I beg to notify you that the sub school on Gibson Reserve has been closed since end of February. The teacher Miss Strength, having left her home and has gone to live on another part of the reserve.

The attendance at the main school under Miss Black is improving, some sixteen in attendance, The day I was there, and they seem to be making good progress and if I can get them to attend regularly I think it would be better to encourage only one school. The truant officer, Chief Strength, is simply no good and I would like to make a change. The roads will soon be better and I think the attendance might be improved if we had a good live truant officer.

Edwards 15-22 and dull and this file

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Lopstic

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept.of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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OTTAWA, July 22nd, 1922.

Reverend Sir: -

I have your letter of the 17th instant, with reference to the case of Miss Frances Saunders, teacher of the Oka Country School.

In reply I beg to say that the dissatisfaction as to her services was expressed by the Indians only, but, in view of the fact that they have taken a rather decided stand in their request that another teacher be appointed, it is advisable, in the interest of the work, that another teacher be secured. The nomination of Miss Saunders for some other Indian school conducted under the auspices of the Methodist Church will receive consideration.

We have no teacher in view for the Georgina Island Indian Day School. Miss Grace Martin, who taught this school last year, is taking charge of the New Credit school after the summer holidays. It will be necessary to secure the services of a teacher to replace her at Georgina Island, and I shall be pleased if you will nominate a teacher for this school. The name, qualifications and experience of the teacher nominated should be forwarded for the consideration of the Department.

Regarding the Gibson Indian Day School, I beg to say that insofar as we are aware Miss Black will again resume duties when the school re-opens after the holidays. We have had no intimation that she intends to resign.

Regarding a teacher for the Chemong (Mud Lake) Indian Day School, I beg to say that the services of Miss Brown will be satisfactory, and the Department will approve of her re-engagement for another year.

We have not yet appointed a teacher for the Christian Island school. This matter has been left in the hands of the Band in Council, and we hope that they will very shortly succeed in obtaining the services of a qualified teacher.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.

A. F. MacKenzie,
for Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Rev. C. E. Manning, B.A., D.D.,
General Secretary, Home Missions,
Methodist Missionary Society,
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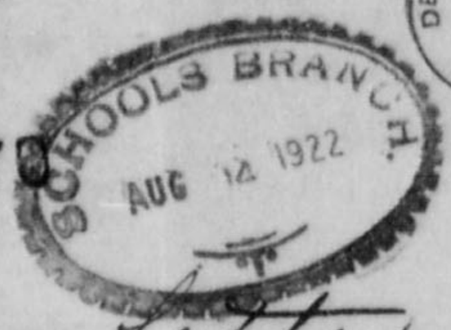
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Gibson Reserve
Aug 3rd, 1922.

Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa





Dear Sir -

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I received a letter from Rev C. E. Manning of Methodist Mission Board. Asking me if I would take over the school for another year. I wrote him telling him I would do so. I mail the letter to him at the same time I mail yours.

I received a small parcel of supplies but they are not what I ordered so I return them. They must have been intended for some other school and the wrong address put on the parcel. I received the invoice of mine but not the parcel. I enclose the invoice Would you please send me a mop for dusting walls. You can

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get them at Eatons. It is made of cards and has a long handle I want it not only for my own use on the walls at school and get the children to use it. but I can be used by the caretaker This is a necessity-

I also need another broom and a medium sized granite pail.

I forgot to state in my previous letter that the blackboards need a new coat. They are hyloplate. I am sorry I did not get the work made up for last Fall when school was closed for repairs & cleaning. I intended to do so at Easter but could not as so many were ill & such bad roads.

I am aware of some mistakes & some of the reports. not intentional but I wish to correct

(1) Three or four children had been counted as Indian whose fathers are white but mothers Indian I did not know at first that they should be counted white.

(2) On Inspector Scovil's report. There should have been one more counted for pupils at this school. I thought the little girls had been attending Mary Strength School!

(3) On my last report, I am not sure if I counted in two little children who are of school age but do not attend They are Catholic: number of children of school age who were on Reserve last quarter including Indian white is 39- One have now moved away

Respectfully
Mary A Black. Teacher.

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Ottawa, August 15, 1922.

Madam:-

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, informing the Department that it is your intention to remain as Teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School for the next term.

Your appointment as Teacher for the next school year is approved. We will, no doubt, hear from Dr. Manning, regarding your re-engagement.

It is hoped that the supplies which you ordered will reach you in due time, as per the invoice which you have received. You may purchase a mop for dusting the walls, also a broom and a medium sized granite pail. When buying these articles, you should obtain accounts in duplicate from the dealer, and you will be good enough to write thereon that the goods were received and the prices charged are fair and just. You should then forward these accounts to the Department, when payment will be made.

It should not be necessary to have the hyloplate blackboard receive a new coating. These boards are guaranteed for 10 years' ordinary schoolroom use. Water should not be used in cleaning them, as they absorb moisture. They should be well cleaned with an ordinary blackboard brush.

The reference made by you to some errors in your reports for the past year has been noted.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Miss Mary A. Black,
Teacher, Indian Day School,
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YOUNG PEOPLE'S FORWARD MOVEMENT

August,
Twelfth,
Nineteentwentytwo.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 15 1922
RECORDS

Dear Sir;-

ATTENTION OF MR. J. F. McKENZIE,
For Asst.Deputy & Secretary.

We desire to propose Miss Mary A. Black to continue as teacher at Gibson Indian School.

Faithfully yours,

A. Lloyd Smith

ALS: GWF.

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, August 17, 1922.

Reverend Sir:-

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 12th instant, in which you request that the services of Miss Mary A. Black be continued for the next school year, as Teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that the re-appointment of Miss Black is approved. She has already written the Department, stating that she was requested by the Mission Board to continue the work for another year. We are informing her that the Department will approve of her remaining as Teacher during the next school year, beginning on or about September first, next.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Rev. A. Lloyd Smith, M.A., B.D.,
Asst. Secretary of Home Missions,
Methodist Church in Canada,
Wesley Buildings,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto, Ont.

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Gibsons Reserve July 29/22

Special Council
of the Band of Indians

Resolution is passed by the Band of Indians on Gibsons Reserve the following resolution is that the Dept to grant us a good male teacher. one is able to controll the children and to teach in properly the present teacher has announce that she do not think the teacher will be changed this year again. if that is the case we will keep our children away from school. for it is no use sending them. they do not learn anything. for five year now

motion carried Chief Mitchel
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 23 1922
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound, August 19th, 1922.

373976

Sir,—

I beg to enclose herewith resolution passed at a special meeting of Council held at Gibson on July 29th.

I am,

Your Obedient Servant,

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, August 24, 1922.

Sir:-

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 19th instant, enclosing a resolution passed at a special meeting of Council, held on the Gibson Reserve on the 29th ultimo, in which they request that a male teacher be secured for the Gibson Indian Day School for the next school year.

In reply I beg to say that this school is conducted under the auspices of the Methodist Missionary Society, and they have requested that the services of Miss Mary A. Black be continued for the next year. The Department has approved of her re-appointment.

The Indians should send their children to school regularly and, if they do so, there is no doubt that they will receive proper instruction from Miss Black.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Alex. Logan, Esq.,
Indian Supt.,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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RECORDS

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Saskatoon P.O.
Aug 24 1922

Mr Charles Cooke

Dear Sir

Just a few lines I want to write to you We are all well and how did you get home. I want to ask You to get us a school again Mrs Louis White is willing to let one part of her house for school. and mrs moses Thompson also is willing to let a part of her house for school. Will you see about it that we get a school here

Yours truly

Dinah Commandant

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OTTAWA, September 7, 1922.

Madam: -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th ultimo, addressed to Mr. Cooke of this Department, requesting that the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve be reopened again during the coming winter, and stating that a suitable house for carrying on the work can be obtained from either Mrs. Louis White or Mrs. Moses Thompson.

In reply I beg to say that the Department is not prepared to authorize the reopening of this school. When this school was in operation during the past two winters only fair success was achieved. Until we are assured that more satisfactory results will be obtained we cannot carry out arrangements to reopen this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Mrs. Dinah Commandant,
Sahanatien P.O.,
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 27 1922
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S-274
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

....Parry Sound, Ont., ...

....November 23rd., 1922.

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Sir,—

On my visit to Gibson Reserve I found, on making inquiries why there was so few children attending school. The reasons are as follows:

1. There is a general complaint from all the members of the Band that the teacher Miss Black is not able to control the children of ten years and upward. The members of the Band claimed that there was no use of sending the children as they almost always did as they liked and worried Miss Black so much that she often cried at the way they carried on.

2. Most of the parents admit that Miss Black is a good teacher but they claim that she lacks the power to enforce her authority.

The members of the council and the mothers with whom I have talked are of the belief that a younger teacher is required. I feel very keenly about the situation as Miss Black didn't seem to me to be any too well and she seems to me to be rather too nervous for the position which she holds. As a matter of very strict duty I must recommend that a change be made as otherwise the education of the majority of the children will be badly neglected. I have the honour to be, Sir:

Your obedient servant,

John M Daly
Agent.

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J.D. McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, Nov. 29, 1922.

Reverend Sir:-

I beg to inform you that our agent at Parry Sound, who recently visited the Gibson Reserve, found that there were very few children attending school. On making inquiries, he found that the reasons therefor were as follows:-

1. There is a general complaint from all the members of the band that the teacher, Miss Black, is not able to control the children of 10 years and upward.

2. The members of the band claimed that there was no use in sending their children as they did as they liked and worried the teacher so much that she often cried at the way they carried on.

3. A number of the parents admitted to the agent that Miss Black is a good teacher, but they claimed that she lacked the power to enforce her authority. The members of the council requested that a younger teacher be engaged. The agent states that Miss Black seemed to be in poor health and too nervous for the position she holds. He recommends that a change be made, otherwise the education of the majority of the children will be badly neglected.

As this school is conducted under the auspices of the Methodist Church, I am submitting the above for your consideration. We do not desire to be unfair to Miss Black, but reports as to her lack of control of the children have been received at intervals during the time she has been teaching at this school, and it is considered advisable, in view of the interests of the work, to dispense with her services if another teacher can be secured.

I shall be pleased to have your views in the matter, also, if a change of teachers is made, whether a qualified successor to Miss Black can be obtained. Your early attention to this matter will be appreciated.

J.D.M.

R.J.T.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Rev. C. E. Manning, B.A., D.D.,
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Wesley Bldgs.,
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S-274.

Ottawa, Nov. 29, 1922.

Sir:-

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant, regarding the complaint made by the members of the Gibson Band that the teacher, Miss Mary A. Black, is not able to control the older children who attend the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply to the request of the band that a change of teachers be made, I beg to say that this school is conducted under the auspices of the Methodist Church authorities. Miss Black was nominated for the position by the Church authorities and her appointment approved by the Department. We are referring this matter to Rev. C. E. Manning, B.A., D.D., General Secretary of Home Missions for the Methodist Missionary Society, Toronto, and pointing out to him the complaint made by the Indian parents and the request that another teacher be engaged. As soon as we hear his views you will be further advised.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

R.T.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 6 1922
RECORDS

Dept
R.J.T.

December,
Fifth,
Nineteen-twentytwo.

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Dear Sir;-

I am in receipt of your letter of November 29th, re Miss Black's inability to control the school on the Gibson Reserve, and suggesting that we should recommend another teacher.

I will take action on this matter as soon as possible and will report to you at the earliest opportunity.

Trusting this will be satisfactory,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C E Manning.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

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DEC 28 1922
RECORDS

December,
Twenty-sixth,
Nineteen-twentytwo.

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Dear Sir;-

Since receiving your letter of November 29th, re a successor to Miss Black, as teacher of the school on the Gibson Indian Reserve, I have been trying to secure the services of another teacher - preferably a Missionary Teacher - but up to the present have failed to get in touch with anyone whom I think would meet the requirements.

In a communication from the Rev. Arthur Barner, received this morning, he says that he would move slowly in dismissing a teacher in the middle of the year for the following reasons:-

"1. These complaints from Indian Reserves die down and unless the evidence is conclusive that the change is wise we sometimes leave ourselves and the people worse off instead of better.

2. It is difficult to get good teachers at this time of the year.

3. The teacher there must live alone in the mission house. I would hesitate to send a girl without experience to that task in the winter. The summer is the time for testing out in these things."

In view of our inability to find a successor to Miss Black, who would take charge of the Gibson school at the beginning of the New Year, would it not be better to allow her to continue in her present position until next summer, when we will do our best to secure a Missionary Teacher to succeed her?

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC

Awaiting your reply, and wishing you the Compliments of the Season,

I am,
Very faithfully yours,

C. E. Manning.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

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22-1-1.

OTTAWA, December 29th, 1922.

Reverend Sir: -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th instant, requesting that the services of Miss Mary A. Black, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, be retained for the balance of the present school year, owing to the difficulty in securing a qualified teacher to succeed her.

In reply I beg to say that, in view of the report received by you from the Reverend Arthur Barner regarding the inadvisability of making a change of teachers at this school at the present time, the Department will approve of Miss Black remaining on as teacher until the 30th of June, next, the end of the present school year. We hope, however, before the next school year's activities commence, you will be able to nominate the services of a missionary teacher for this Reserve.

We are informing Mr. Agent Daly, Parry Sound, of the approval having been granted for the continuing of the services of Miss Black for the balance of the present school year.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

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OTTAWA, December 29th, 1922.

Sir: -

In further reference to official letter of November 29th, last, regarding the request of the Gibson Band for a change of teachers, I beg to say that we are now in receipt of a communication from Rev. Dr. Manning, General Secretary of Home Missions for the Methodist Church, in which he states that owing to the difficulty in obtaining the services of another teacher at the present time he would recommend that Miss Black be allowed to continue as teacher during the present school year, viz: June 30th, next. It is very difficult to get a qualified teacher at this time of the year. The Missionary Society will endeavour to obtain the services of another teacher - preferably a missionary teacher - for the next school year.

We are approving of the retaining of the services of Miss Black until June 30th, next.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Rec'd.

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January,
Third,
Nineteen-twentythree.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 4 1923
RECORDS

My dear Sir;-

I am in receipt of your letter of December 29th, informing me that you have notified Mr. Daly - the Indian Agent at Parry Sound - that you approve of Miss Black continuing as teacher of the Gibson Reserve school for the balance of this school year.

I also note what you say about our nominating a successor to her for next year. - We will keep this in mind and do the best we can to secure a suitable teacher - preferably a Missionary Teacher - for the nest school year.

I am,

Very faithfully yours,

C. E. Manning.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JAN 5 1923

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JUL 5 1923
RECORDS

July,
Fourth,
Nineteen-twenty-three.

Dear Sir;-

366852

RE GIBSON INDIAN RESERVE.

I am in touch with a young man - 29 years of age - Frederick George Steeds by name, who has recently come to Canada. He was a Lieutenant in the British Army, and was transferred to the Indian Army. He was demobilized on May 23rd, 1921, and since then has been at St. Luke's College, Exeter, England, training as a school teacher. He took his examinations in April 1923, but before they were over he developed the 'flu and his temperature rising to 103, he was not able to write on all the subjects set for the examination. Mathematics, I believe, was the only one upon which he did not write. A letter from the Educational authorities in England shows that he passed on all subjects but Mathematics.

He is willing to serve as Missionary Teacher on the Gibson Reserve. He is married, and has one child, and as there is a mission house on this Reserve it would be an advantage rather than otherwise that he is not a single man. He has the ministry in view and impresses me very favourably.

The Rev. Marshall Hartley, who is Secretary of the Methodist Brotherhood in England, writes of him as follows:-

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SCHOOLS BRANCH

"He has teacher's certificates. He has had quite a remarkable career as a preacher while he has been in the army and has been the means of the conversion of officers and others. Clearly, as I gather from personal talk with him, his ultimate destiny is the ministry and in this I am sure you will gladly guide him. It is a long time since I have met a young man so obviously fitted for that work and willing to serve in any part of the world."

If you will agree to his appointment as Missionary Teacher on the Gibson Reserve, I will arrange with him to undertake the work there. Providing you concur in my proposal, what would his salary as teacher be?

Awaiting your reply, I am,

Very faithfully yours,

C E Manning.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ont.

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, July 6th, 1923.

Rev. Sir:

I have to acknowlede receipt of your letter of the 4th instant, nominating Frederick George Steeds as missionary teacher for the Gibson Indian Day School, and stating the qualifications which he possesses.

In reply I beg to say it is considered that Mr. Steeds services would be satisfactory, and the Department will approve of his appointment. His retention in the position, however, will depend upon the success with which he meets in the work. The salary allowed will be at the rate of $700 per annum, payable on a monthly basis for the ten teaching months in the year. This will be supplemented by the bonus provided by law, which, during the present school year, is at the rate of $15 per month.

I shall be pleased if you will inform the Department at a later date as to whether Mr. Steeds accepts the position or not. If so, he should be on the Reserve and ready to take up duties when the school re-opens after the summer holidays, on or about September 4th, next.

Your obedient servant,

D. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
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Saskatien

Gibson Reserve

July 9th 1923

Dept. of Indian affairs,

Ottawa,

56910

Gentlemen "

This is to certify that I am resigning my position as teacher on this Reserve

Hoping you will be able to secure the services of a good teacher soon.

I am, respectfully

Mary A Black.

If possible, please send on my salary in not-less time than a week so when I am ready to go I can get away without delay. and oblige

mary a Black.

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Ottawa, July 14th, 1923.

Madam:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 9th instant, tendering your resignation as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that your resignation is accepted.

Your return for the June quarter, last, has been received, and cheques in payment of salary and bonus due will be sent you.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Mary A. Black,
Teacher, Gibson Reserve,
Sahanatien P.O.,
Ont.

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YOUNG PEOPLE'S FORWARD MOVEMENT

July,
Fourteenth,
Nineteen-twentythree.

587013

Dear Sir;-

RE GIBSON RESERVE.

I am this morning in receipt of a letter from Mr. F. G. Steeds, in which he accepts the position of Missionary Teacher on the Gibson Reserve.

He will leave Hamilton for Gibson on Tuesday or Wednesday of next week and until time for the opening of the school will do the work of a missionary among them. When the school opens he will fill the dual position of Missionary Teacher.

Trusting this will be satisfactory,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C. E. Manning.

SCHOOLS BRANCH JUL 19 1923

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O T T A W A, Ontario.

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, July 19th, 1923.

Rev. Sir:

I have your letter of the 14th instant, informing the Department that Mr. F. G. Steeds has accepted the position as Missionary Teacher on the Gibson Reserve. We are notifying our Agent, Mr. John M. Daly, Parry Sound, accordingly, and requesting him to give Mr. Steeds any assistance he can in his work.

We note that Mr. Steeds intends to take up missionary duties during this week, and that he will open the school after the present summer holidays. We hope that he will meet with every success in his work on the Gibson Reserve.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, July 19th, 1923.

Sir:

I beg to inform you that the Methodist Church authorities, under whose auspices the Gibson Indian Day School is conducted, have nominated Frederick George Steeds as Missionary Teacher. Mr. Steeds will likely arrive at Gibson during this present week and, until time for the opening of the school, after the present holidays, will do missionary work on the Reserve.

The salary allowed Mr. Steeds will be at the rate of $700 per annum, payable on a monthly basis for the ten teaching months in the year. This will be supplemented by the bonus provided by law, which, during the present fiscal year, is at the rate of $15 per month.

I shall be pleased if you will give Mr. Steeds any assistance you can in his work as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S-568
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

.....Parry Sound, Ont.,.....

.....July 9.....1923

Sir,

I beg to report that a Mr.Steed with wife and one child has been appointed as teacher at the Gibson School.

The Rev.Mr.Jenner informs me that Mr.Steed comes well recommended by the Rev.Marchall Hartly sect. Weslean Conference of England.Mr.Steed is a qualified teacher and a returned soldier who has seen service in the late war.He is about 29 years of age.

I feel that Mr.Steed will make quite a difference in the school,on this Reserve,and I will do all that I can to assist him to make a success in his new duties.

Trusting that this will meet with your approval.

See letter of 17th inst.

I have the honour to be.

Sir:

Your obedient servant,

John McDaly
Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept.Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

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JUL 23 1923
RECORDS

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S-571
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound, Ont.,

July 21 1923

587333

Sir,—

Replying to yours of July 19th. 22-I-I, I will do all in my power to make Mr Steed's appointment as teacher to the Gibson Reserve, a success.

Trusting that this will meet with the approval of the Department.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUL 26 1923

I have the honour to be.
Sir:
Your obedient servant,

John McDaly
Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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22-1-1.

October 30, 1923.

Memorandum for File:

Rev. A. Barner, in charge of Methodist Missions among the Indians of Canada, intimates that Mr. Steeds, the new incumbent at the Gibson Indian Day School, is doing great work.

RAT.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 20 1923
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S-731
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound, Ont., Dec. 18 1923

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 20 1923

R

Sir,—

The teachers of this agency have asked that their quarterly cheques for quarter ending December, be sent them by 21 or 22.

I would appreciate it very much if the Department would consider this request, and if possible have cheques sent along.

I propose having all reports mailed to Department by night of Dec. 21st.

Trusting that this will meet with the approval of the Department.

I have the honour to be.

Sir:

Your obedient servant,

John M. McDonald
Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, July 4, 1924.

Sir,-

It is noted from the June quarter return of the Gibson Indian Day School that the teacher, Mr. F. G. Steeds, was absent from the school on May 21st and 22nd and also June 10th to 16th, inclusive. Apparently no permission was given by the Department to the teacher. You should advise him that, in future, he must not take special leave of this nature without securing the consent of the Department. All applications for such leave should be forwarded to the Department through your office.

The Department has also received Mr. Inspector Stother's report on this school. The inspector visited the school on June 12th, at which time the teacher was absent, and found the school door unlocked. The Department considers that the teacher is rather indifferent to the Department's property when he would leave the school in this condition. This matter should be brought to his attention.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
ONT.

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JUL 7 1924

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JUL 4 1924
RECORDS

Saskatoon, Sask.,
July 3, 1924.

Deputy Supt. Genl. Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Indian Branch,
Ottawa, Ont.

R.

Dear Sir:

I beg to draw your attention to this complaint which I am obliged to make concerning the management of our school at Pakuse Reserve.

The teacher, Mr. Steed, has been most negligent in his duty. In the past school session of ten calendar months he has taught approximately three months altogether. Under above observation I have noticed that during the month of May the school was generally closed 4 days and not five days as I am instructed to do. I trust you will have the Inspector's report on this matter, as I understand he was obliged to make a second visit because Mr. Steed was away

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on a trip on his first.

There are over thirty children of school age on the reserve; and their parents appreciate opportunity during early youth to acquire education cannot be counted through such neglect. I trust you are convinced of the seriousness of this matter, and I hope you will adopt means to avoid such a deplorable situation in the future. The Dept. is yearly expending money for the education of these children and it behooves those concerned to see that this is spent in a manner which will achieve its purpose to the fullest extent. I would, therefore, suggest that we have a qualified teacher relieved of the duties of Storekeeper.

Thanking you in future for any courtesies extended, I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Xavier LaCaire.

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, July 7th, 1924.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, regarding the services being performed by the teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department is making enquiry regarding the services rendered by this teacher during the past school year.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Mr. Xavier DeCarie,
Sahanatien P.O.,
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22-1-1.

Ottawa, July 7th, 1924.

Rev. Sir:

The Department has received complaints concerning the management by Mr. F. G. Steeds, the missionary teacher, of the Indian day school on the Gibson Reserve. He has conducted classes during the past year very irregularly. It would appear that during the month of May, last, the school was in operation only 8 days, and 5 days in June. The Public School Inspector visited this school on the 12th ultimo, at which time the teacher was absent, leaving the school unlocked. It is considered that Mr. Steeds has been rather indifferent to the Department's interest in his conduct of the school. The Indians have requested that a qualified teacher who will be relieved of the duties of missionary be engaged.

I am forwarding the above for your consideration, and will be pleased to hear whether you would approve of a change in teacher being made for the next school year or not.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 9 1924
RECORDS

July,
Seventh,
Nineteen-twenty-four.

Dear Sir;-

RE GIBSON RESERVE.

Mr. F. G. Steeds has agreed to remain as Missionary Teacher on the Gibson Reserve for the ensuing year.

From all reports I gather that he is a very successful teacher, and is rendering excellent service on this reserve. I trust that it will be in accord with your pleasure to confirm his appointment for another year.

Very faithfully yours,

C. E. Manning.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

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CEM: GWF.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
10 JUL 1924
RECORDS

July,
Ninth,
Nineteen-twenty four.

Dear Sir,-

RE GIBSON RESERVE,

I have your letter, File No.22-1-1, bearing date of June 7th, 1924. This letter was not received at the Mission Rooms until this morning, - July 9th. The date of this letter must surely be a typographical error.

You write about F. G. Steeds, the Missionary Teacher on the Gibson Reserve. I am surprised to have the information that you give me to the effect that during the month of May the school was in operation only eight days, and only five days in the month of June.

It is not long since the Indian Agent called me by 'phone when in the city, to urge that something be done to retain Mr. Steeds' services on this Reserve for another year. The Indians appointed a representative to come to Toronto to see me, to make sure that he would not be removed. Now, to have the statement from you that the Indians have requested that a qualified teacher - who will be relieved of the duties of a missionary - be engaged, is a surprise to me.

Is it not possible that Mr. Steeds' efforts to establish better moral conditions on the Reserve have something to do with this agitation against him? According to his report he has taken drastic measures with some of the Indians there? I have written him to ascertain why the school was in operation only eight days in May and five days in June.

I am leaving for my holidays on Monday next, and do not expect to be in the Mission Rooms until about the middle of August, and if you have any further report to send me in regard to Steeds' relation to the Gibson Indians, I would like to have it, if possible, by return mail.

I am,
Very faithfully yours,

C. E. Manning.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O T T A W A, Ontario.

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, July 11th, 1924.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 9th instant, replying to the Department's letter of the 7th instant, which was in error dated June 7th, regarding the services of Mr. F. G. Steeds, the missionary teacher on the Gibson Reserve.

In reply I beg to say that our letter was based on complaints from Indians concerning the management of the school by Mr. Steeds and also from the report of the Public School Inspector. No doubt Mr. Steeds had sufficient reason for his absence at the time the Inspector visited the school and on other occasions, but it is considered that he should have notified the Indian Agent or the Department of such absence from duty as teacher. The Department has no desire to make a change in teacher at this school. Our object in writing you on the 7th instant was to inform you of the reports received regarding Mr. Steeds' work. We will approve of his remaining for the next school year. No doubt, as stated by you, Mr. Steeds' efforts to establish better moral conditions on the Reserve have something to do with the agitation against him by some of the Indians.

I shall be pleased if you will inform Mr. Steeds of the Department's approval of his re-engagement for the next school year. We note from your letter of the 7th instant that he has agreed to remain as missionary teacher for next year.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Rev. C. [illegible] Manning, B.A., D.D.,
General Secretary of Home Missions,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Wesley Buildings,
Toronto, Ont.

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SECRETARY
YOUNG PEOPLE'S FORWARD MOVEMENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 14 1924
RECORDS

CEM: GWF.

July,
Twelfth,
Nineteen-twentyfour.

Dear Sir;- A Jew R

RE GIBSON.

I am pleased to receive your letter of July 11th, re Mr. F. G. Steeds, who is now teaching on the Gibson Reserve.

I will do as you propose and write him stating that you approve of his appointment for another year. He has not yet had time to reply to my letter of recent date, enquiring why it was the school had been closed for so many days during May and June, and as I am going away for my holidays on Monday, I will send him a letter today, telling him that you approve of his appointment.

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C. E. Manning.

Mr. J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O T T A W A, Ontario.

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Ottawa, July 15th, 1924.

Sir:

I beg to inform you that at the request of the Methodist Missionary Society we are approving of the re-appointment of Mr. F. G. Steeds as missionary teacher of the Indian day school on the Gibson Reserve for the next school year. He will receive salary at the same rate as was previously paid him, viz: $700 per annum, supplemented by the bonus provided by law, payment of salary and bonus to be based on ten teaching months in the year.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 23
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. I-165.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound, Ont. July 22. 1924.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUL 24

Sir,—

Replying to yours 22-I-I of July 4th., I beg to state that I took the matter up with Mr.F.G.Steeds, the teacher at Gibson Reserve and he said that he failed to understand Inspector' Stother's report. The door was locked when he left, to go to the conferen conference. He understands to ask for leave of absence when next called to a conference and will arrange with this office, so that the Dept. will have time to grant any request in this nature, re being absent other than attending the conference.

He was two half days, one in forenoon, one in afternoon, going to Bala for the doctor, for two different cases of sickness, the reason being that he has a car and could get there quicker and bring the doctor. I approve of him doing this and trust that the Dept. will approve of the same, as Mr. Steeds, being missionary as well as teacher, would be expected to do actions such as this when the children get sick. The progress of the children in this reserve under Mr. Steeds, is very remarkable, and his understanding of the human frailties of the band and their little jealous feelings, is remarkable for a man who is not long in this country .

I shall be very sorry , as Agent, when the time comes when we can't keep Mr. Steeds. I am so interested in the schooling of the children and I see a great change in them, which I am sure the Dept. appreciates, when told of same. I have told Mr. Steeds of his appointment for next term.

The catch on the door is broken and I have given instructions to the caretaker to have it fixed.

Trusting this will be satisfactory.

I have the honour to be,
Sir:
Your obedient servant,

John Kennedy
Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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T-165.

Ottawa, July 24, 1924.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 22nd instant, relative to the services that have been performed by Mr. F. G. Steeds, the teacher on the Gibson Reserve. In reply I beg to say that the Department is pleased to receive your assurance that Mr. Steeds has done good work and that the pupils have made great progress under his charge. As you were informed by letter of the 15th ultimo, the re-appointment of this gentleman as missionary teacher is approved, both by the Department and the Missionary Society.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. T.m.315
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

.....Parry Sound, Ont.,.....

.....Dec. 13,.....1924

Sir,—

I beg to report that Frank.J.Joblin, teacher at Gibson Reserve, has applied for leave of absence during part of January, on account of the condition of his wife's health. Enclosed you will find letter from Mr.Joblin.

I would recommend that Mr.Joblin be allowed this priviledge, on the condition that he make up for lost time.

Trusting that this will meet with the approval of the Dept.

I have the honour to be.

Sir:

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept.Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

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Parry Sound, Ont.

June 17, 1925.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. T-450.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Immediate

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Sir,—

The teachers of this agency, have requested that they be allowed to close school on June 26th and all earnestly desire to have their cheques by that date. They will teach on the 20th and make up the other day in the fall. As all the teachers are returning in the fall, and as they have all been doing good work, I would recommend that they be allowed to close school on Friday 26th., and that the cheques be sent forward in time for them to leave for their homes, not later than 27th. Kindly reply by return mail.

Trusting that this will meet with the approval of the Dept.

I have the honour to be,
Sir:
Your obedient servant,
John M. Daly
Agent.

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, June 19, 1925.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 17th instant, I have to inform you that the teachers of the schools in your agency may close their schools for the annual summer holidays on Friday afternoon, the 26th instant. You may inform them accordingly. We will endeavour to have the cheques for their salary forwarded to you in due time.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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22-1-1

Ottawa, June 23, 1925.

T-450

Sir,-

In further reference to your letter of the 17th instant, I beg to say that the Department is forwarding, under separate cover, the June quarter salary cheques for the teachers of the Lower French River, Gibson, Ryerson, Shawanaga, Moose Deer Point and Maganatawan Indian Day Schools.

Owing to the discontinuance of the bonus, the salary of each teacher has been increased by $150.00 for the ten teaching months and you will note that the amount formerly paid in bonus is now included in the regular salary cheque.

As you were informed in official letter of April 14th, last, Miss Haggart is being paid at the rate of $85.00 a month and she is being allowed salary for two and a half months. She should arrange to pay the substitute teacher.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
ONT.

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46 Standish Ave., Toronto,

July 10th, 1925.

Dear Friend,-

Arrangements are well under way for the Conference at Glen Bernard Camp. The meetings this year will begin on Wednesday evening, September 2nd., and continue till Friday noon, Sept. 11th.

To get the full advantage of the Conference all members should plan to take in the whole period. If this is not possible you will be welcomed to any part of it. Those who cannot reach their appointments on Saturday evening the 5th. and return on Monday morning the 7th., should plan to get some one to take their services for Sunday the 6th., or if that cannot be done to have the services cancelled for that day (the 6th.)

We are arranging for some very interesting studies, lectures and conferences. We will have Rev. Professor Brown of Victoria College, Rev. Professor McNeill of Knox College, and will have again Rev. Principal Gandier, D.D., and Rev. J. R. P. Sclater, D.D., besides others who will give lectures on courses. Representatives of the various Churches will speak on different aspects of the Church's work. Fine films and slides will be exhibited.

I am inclosing a copy of last year's folder, which will give information to any who were not present at that time.

The inclosed application card should be filled out and forwarded to me not later than August 1st., so that we may know how many to provide for.

Through the kind interest of Miss Edgar everything possible is being done to make it a thoroughly pleasant and profitable outing for the men.

Come with an expectant heart and a smiling face and you will be sure of a hearty welcome.

Sincerely yours,

D. McTavish,

Secretary-Treasurer.

46 Standish Ave.,
Toronto

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Gibson Reserve
Feb. 4th 1926

I last visited practically all the homes in the Gibson Reserve and find that in no house where there are children are they free from Whooping Cough.

Among the very Young children two have died one 11 months and the other ten months old.

As for the older ones it is certain that practically all will recover but the law requires that no child suffering from whooping cough can attend school until five weeks after the beginning of whoop

W. R. Mason M.D
Physician to Indians Parry Sound

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Parry Sound Ont.

Mr Frank J. Jobbett.
Sandhatchie, Ont.

Dear Bro:- Enclosed please find Cheque for $162 00/100 Aug. missionary Grant.
District meeting at Bernard Camp, Sundridge same as last year. Bring plenty of bedding. No expense same R.R. fare. Sept. 2nd to Fri. 11th.

Sincerely yours,
Herbert Lee.

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22-1-1

Ottawa, June 16th, 1926.

Sir,-

It is noted from your letter of the 13th instant, that you state that the Gibson Council passed a resolution some time ago regarding the appointment of a new teacher. The Department does not appear to have received this resolution and I should be pleased if you would forward me a copy at your earliest convenience.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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JUL 5 1926
SCHOOLS BRANCH

Parry Sound, Ont., June 28, 1926.

Sir:

Replying to yours of June 16, 22-1-1, enclosed please find resolutions passed by the Gibson Band of Indians at a Council meeting held on April 5.

x x x

(3) Moved by Isaac News, seconded by Simon Laforce that the Dept. be asked to get a new teacher as we do not approve of the method used by the present teacher.

x x x

You have my recommendation for the third one on file.

x x x

John M. Daly.

Agent.

Need the vacancy.
Was this man there?

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, July 5, 1926.

Sir:

With reference to that portion of your letter of the 28th ultimo concerning the resolution of the Gibson Band that a new teacher be secured, I have to inform you that I am now writing to the Church authorities.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF INSPECTOR JOHNSON, on the Gibson Indian Day School. Report dated October 12th, 1926.

Original on File 22-1-6.

NOV 21 1926
INDIAN SCHOOLS BRANCH

"It has been repeatedly recommended that the teacher take a Summer Course to modernize his methods, but apparently the Department has taken no notice of this recommendation. Schools that come entirely under the Ontario Department of Education would soon be brought to time if such obsolete methods were used as are used in this school.".

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, May 3, 1927.

Reverend Sir:

I have your letter of the 27th ultimo, concerning the proposed transfer of Mr. Donaghy from the Swan Lake Indian Reserve, Man., to the Gibson Indian Day School. I am doubtful of this missionary teacher's ability to work in harmony with others who are trying to guide our wards. If your Society wishes to make the appointment, the Department is in a position to give only temporary approval. I do not question Mr. Donaghy's ability as a teacher and I believe he would do good work if he could be persuaded to give whole-hearted support, not only to your Society, but to this Department and its representatives.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Rev. C. E. Manning, D. D.,
Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

299 QUEEN ST. WEST
TORONTO 2, ONTARIO

DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 30 1927

Immediate

Toronto,
Aug. 29,
1927.

A. F. Mackenzie, Esq.,
Acting Assistant Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Since I wrote you on August 24th developments have occurred which have made it possible for me to secure a young man as teacher of the Gibson Reserve Indian School.

His name is Charles Donald Hoffman and is at the present living at Aurora, Ontario. He called to see me today and has made a very fine impression. He is tall, very intelligent looking and in his twentieth year. He has completed his normal training and if you consent to his appointment to take charge of the above school his father, who for reasons of health retired from the Ministry of the United Church this year, would undertake to serve as missionary on this reserve occupying the parsonage where his son would find a home while he acts as teacher at Gibson. Young Hoffman has a second-class certificate and as intimated above has just completed his normal training in Toronto. The enclosed testimonials of previous teachers will give you an idea of their appreciation of this young man.

I trust you will approve of his appointment and also give him such salary as men of his class are entitled to. Kindly let me know by return mail what your decision is in the matter.

I hope you have a school where Mr. Joblin could serve.

Awaiting your reply,

I am,

Faithfully yours,

C E Manning

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Encls.

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- C O P Y -

Collegiate Institute,
Port Arthur,
April 13, 1927.

To Whom It May Concern:

Mr. Donald C. Hoffman was a student of mine for a period of three years, during which time he proved himself a very intelligent and industrious young man. He was keenly interested in sport and community actions and should make an excellent disciplinarian and leader.

Moreover, Mr. Hoffman is a young man of good habits, gentlemanly bearing and amiable disposition.

Candidly, he should make a most conscientious, firm, yet sympathetic teacher.

Yours truly,

(Sgd.) L. J. GARVEY

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C O P Y

THE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE

Picton, Ont., April 8, 1927.

To whom it may concern:

This is to certify that Mr. Donald Huffman attended the Picton Collegiate Institute during the school year 1925 and 1926. He was a diligent and careful student. He took the Upper School work which includes the subjects of First Year University, and those for a First Class Public School Certificate. He was successful at the Departmental examinations and won honours in every group.

His deportment was perfectly satisfactory in every respect.

Mr. Huffman also took an active part in the various activities of the School.

As I consider Mr. Huffman a young man of ability as well as of sterling qualities of character, I take pleasure in recommending him to any Board of Trustees who may require one who is likely to make an effecient teacher.

(signed) J. A. COOKE

Principal, Picton
Collegiate Institute.

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Ottawa, August 31, 1927.

REV. C. E. MANNING,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto, Ont.

Appointment Charles Hoffman Gibson School
salary nine hundred approved.

A. F. MacKENZIE.

Chg. Dept. I. A.

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HOFFMAN HAS OFFER ANOTHER SCHOOL WIRE WHETHER YOU APPROVE HIS APPOINTMENT TO GIBSON School

C E MANNING.

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, August 31st, 1927.

Rev. Sir:

I have your letter of the 29th instant, nominating Charles D. Hoffman for the position of teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. In reply to your telegram in this connection, I wired today as follows:

"Appointment Charles Hoffman Gibson School salary $900 approved."

I am informing Mr. Indian Agent Daly, of Parry Sound, of this appointment, and asking him to do what he can to assist. School should open this year on the 6th proximo.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. C. E. Manning, D.D.,
General Secretary, Home Missions,
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22-1-1.

EXD.

Ottawa, October 4, 1927.

Sir:

Referring to our letter of the 29th ultimo, I now beg to inform you that the authorities of the United Church of Canada state that Rev. F. J. Reads has accepted the position of missionary teacher for the Gibson Reserve. Mr. Reads will be prepared to commence his teaching duties on Monday, the 17th of October, next. The Church authorities will write Mr. Joblin, telling him of this arrangement.

I shall be pleased if you will have Mr. Joblin prepare a report showing the attendance and days taught by him up to the period he gives up duties and forward same to the Department, through your office, in order that payment of any salary due him for his services as teacher can be made.

Your obedient servant,
J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Parry Sound, Ont.
Dec. 5, 1928

Russell T. Ferrier, Esq.
Supt. Indian Education of Canada.
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 7 1928

Dear Mr. Ferrier:

Enclosed please find letter from Rev. Fred Reed, School teacher and Preacher at Gibson Reserve.

I received word from Rev.Mr. Barner a week ago stating that we would have to find a teacher for this school, and also saying that we could have the use of the Parsonage for the teacher.

Would you reply by return mail what the salary would be for a teacher in this school. I intend to take the matter up with the Principal, Mrs. Cassleman, of the North Bay Normal School. I feel satisfied that he will be able to get me a teacher.

Your consideration at the very earliest will be appreciated.

The greetings of the Season to all.

Yours truly,

John M. Daly

Indian Sup't'cy, Parry Sound

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Ottawa, December 7, 1928.

Dear Mr. Daly:

I have your letter of the 5th instant, enclosing a communication from Rev. Fred Reed, missionary teacher of the Gibson Reserve, relative to his giving up duties at this point at the beginning of the coming Christmas holidays.

As the school and missionary activity on this Reserve are conducted under the auspices of the United Church, it may be that the authorities of that Church will desire to nominate a successor to Mr. Reed. The Department will communicate with the Rev. Mr. Barner and ascertain if he is prepared to nominate an incumbent. If not, you will then be requested to endeavour to secure a teacher. You will be advised as soon as a reply is received from the Rev. Mr. Barner.

The communication which you forwarded from Mr. Reid is returned herewith.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

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J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, December 7, 1928.

Dear Mr. Barner:

A communication has been received from the Indian Agent at Parry Sound, in which he enclosed a letter from Rev. Fred Reed, missionary teacher of the Gibson Indian Reserve, stating that he was giving up duties at the coming Christmas holidays.

It will be necessary to obtain the services of a qualified incumbent to succeed Mr. Reed when the school reopens after the Christmas holidays, early in January, next. I should, therefore, be pleased if you would state whether you will undertake to secure a teacher, and if a nomination can be expected at an early date, or whether you would recommend that the local Indian Agent at Parry Sound arrange for the obtaining of the services of a teacher. Your early reply will oblige,

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Rev. Arthur Barner,
Mission Rooms,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. W.,
Toronto, 2, Ont.

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The United Church of Canada
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REV. J. H. EDMISON, D.D.
SECRETARY

REV. COLIN G. YOUNG, D.D.
ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

299 QUEEN ST. WEST
TORONTO 2, ONTARIO

11th Dec 1928.

Your No. 22-1-1
Dated 5th Dec 1928

Dear Mr. Jewitt,

In reply to above I may say that pursuant to our conversation, of which you took a note, I notified Mr. Daly as soon as Mr. Reed was recalled by the Foreign Board to Toronto to take effect 1st Jany 1929, and told him that it would be impossible for us at this time of the year to secure a minister to succeed Mr. Reed, asking him to secure a supply for Ibson. However, I can understand that he would not wish to act without your permission. I regret the delay which might have been averted had I written you at the same time. I think it the better plan to leave it in his hands.

With best wishes I am
Yours faithfully
Arthur Barner

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, December 12, 1928.

Sir:

I wish to refer to official letter of the 7th instant, regarding a suitable teacher for the Gibson Indian Day School after the Christmas holidays. I have received a communication from the Rev. Mr. Barner, in which he confirms the arrangement that you make the nomination to the Department. Please let me know as soon as possible whom you would recommend for this post. It might be advisable to communicate with Mr. Casselman, of the North Bay Normal School.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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North Bay,Ont.
December 21,1928.

Mr.John M.Daly.
Indian Agent,
PARRY SOUND, ONT.

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Dear Mr.Daly:-

I have found you a teacher who will accept the position you offer, and will commence work on January 3rd. Her name is Miss Edith Fulcher, a graduate of our school of a year ago last June. She has been teaching up until now in a lumber camp, and the conditions were not desirable. She is very musical and has done some social work among the people, teaching Sunday School, etc. She is a Presbyterian and is a daughter of Mr.Fulcher who was for many years in the employ of the C.P.R. as train despatcher. He died some months ago.

I feel that I can recommend this young lady to you, and I would like if you would inform her as quickly as possible of the success of my recommendation. Her address is.-

Miss Edith Fulcher,
29 Seventh Avenue,
North Bay,Ont.

In the event of your selecting her, will you please tell her just where the Reserve is and where she should get off the train.

I wish you the Compliments of the Season, and with kindest regards, I am

Yours very sincerely,

A.C.Casselman,
Principal

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DEC 26 1928
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T-1610.

Parry Sound, Ont.
Dec. 24 1928

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa. Ont.

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Sir,

Enclosed please find communication from Mr. A. C. Cassleman Principal of the North Bay Normal School, recommending Miss Edith Fulcher of North Bay.

I have accepted this girl as I know her parents and knew her when she was a little girl, and I am sure that she will fill the bill, as I know she has been brought up in the proper manner.

Trusting the Department will approve of my selection. Would the Department please reply by return mail.

Please return the enclosed for filing purposes.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.
Encl.

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29 Seventh Ave.,
North Bay, Ont.,
Dec. 21, 1928.

Mr. J. M. Daly,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

Dear Sir,

Through Mr. A. C. Casselman I learned that you need a teacher for an Indian Reserve near Parry Sound. Please consider me an applicant for the position.

I have a Second Class Certificate and Elementary Certificates in Agriculture and Physical Training.

In addition I have the academic standing for a First Class Certificate and a certificate in Religious Instruction.

I have had one year and four months experience teaching in S.S. No. 1 Cameron and S.S. No. 1 B., South Lorrain.

For further information I refer you to Mr. S. J. McMeekin, Sec. S.S. No. 1, Cameron.

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Mattawa, Ont.

Mr. R. G. A. McConnell, I. P. S. Haileybury, Ont.,
and the following residents of North Bay.

Mr. G. C. Casselman, Principal of North Bay Normal School.

Mr. P. H. Brown. I. P. S., 404 McIntyre St. W.,

Rev. J. M. Pritchard, 126 Worchington St W.

The salary $850. per ten months is satisfactory.

Should I be appointed to the position would you when you notify me, also give me some information as to the easiest way to reach the Reserve and also some idea of the equipment of the house.

Yours truly.
Edith Fulcher.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

T-1613

Parry Sound, Ont.
Dec. 26, 1928

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir:

Enclosed please find application from Miss Edith Fulcher of North Bay. This I presume you would use for filing purposes.

I have written to you about this girl being engaged and trust that it will be satisfactory.

I will see that this girl is placed as soon as she accepts the position.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.
Encl.1.

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22-1-1.

T-1613.

Ottawa, December 28, 1928.

Sir:

I have your letters of the 24th and 26th instant, relative to the appointment of Miss Edith Fulcher as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, and enclosing her application in which she states her qualifications and experience.

The Department will approve of the appointment of Miss Fulcher, to begin duties when the school reopens after the present holidays. The salary allowed her will be at the rate of $85 per teaching month. Please inform Miss Fulcher accordingly and arrange with her to take up duties at the time mentioned. It is hoped that she will meet with every success in the work, and I shall be pleased if you will give her every assistance you can.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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29 Seventh Ave.,
North Bay, Ont.,
Dec. 26, 1928.

Mr. J. M. Daly,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

Dear Sir,

I received your letter of Dec. 24. this morning.

As you say it would be very much to my advantage to meet Mr. and Mrs. Reed befor they leave. I am leaving North Bay January 1. and will stay at the Mansion House over night. We could leave for Bala Wednesday morning Jan. 2nd.

Thanking you very much for your kind interest.

I am
Yours truly,
Edith Fulcher.

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
JAN 3 1929

T-1614

Parry Sound, Ont.
Dec. 28, 1928

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir:

Enclosed please find letter of acceptance from Miss Edith Fulcher for position as school teacher at Gibson Reserve. These arrangements are in accordance with the desire of Rev. Mr. Barner, for the teacher to meet Mr. and Mrs Reed before they leave.

Trusting this will be satisfactory.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.
Encl.

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22-1-1.

T-1614.

Ottawa, January 3, 1929.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 28th ultimo, informing the Department that Miss Edith Fulcher has accepted the position as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. The letter which you enclosed from Miss Fulcher stating that she would arrive on the 2nd instant has been noted. It is hoped that she will meet with every success in the work on the Gibson Reserve. The salary allowed will be as stated in official letter of the 28th ultimo, viz., $85 per teaching month.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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T-1625

Parry Sound, Ont.
Jan 7, 1929

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JAN 10 1929

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir:

I have to report that I have taken Miss Edith Fulcher School teacher, to the Gibson Reserve. I was fortunate in catching Mr Reed before he went away and asked him to explain the situation to Miss Fulcher. I introduced Miss Fulcher to the members of the Band and I think they will assist her as much as possible.

As Mr. Reed had some supplies which he wished to transfer to Miss Fulcher and as Mr. Reed required the money, Miss Fulcher has asked that her first month's salary be advanced for the purpose of procuring these supplies.

$85.

I have no hesitation in approving of this, as I know Miss Fulcher and have every reason to believe that she will give satisfaction.

I am forwarding under separate cover the bill for James News for supplying one cord of wood for the teacher's house. I am making arrangements for the supplying of the wood for the teachers house, it will be 15 cords. I will forward bills later.

Trusting the Department will look favourably on this request for cheque of Miss Fulcher's first months salary in advance.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Reidy

JMD/EK.

Agent.

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22-1-1.

Ottawa, January 10, 1929.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 7th instant, informing the Department that Miss Edith Fulcher, who was appointed teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, has taken up her duties. It is noted that you accompanied Miss Fulcher to the Gibson Reserve and introduced her to the members of the Band.

As requested, a cheque for $85, being one month's salary, will be forwarded to you for Miss Fulcher.

It is noted that you are making arrangements for the supplying of the quantity of wood required for the use of the teacher's house. You should forward accounts, later, properly certified, covering the cost.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Original on 10-1-1

Ottawa, June 5th, 1929.

Reverend Sir,-

The Department is in receipt of a communication from Rev. John A. Ward, in which he tenders his resignation as teacher of the Georgina Island Indian Day School to take effect at the end of the present school year, viz., the 30th instant. He states that, at the request of Rev. Arthur Barner, he desires to take the position as teacher of the school on the Gibson Reserve and, also, to perform certain church duties there. I should be pleased to have a report regarding the arrangements that have been made for the transfer of Rev. Mr. Ward from Georgina Island to the Gibson Reserve.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. Colin Young, D.D.,
Acting Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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REV. W. H. SEDGEWICK, D.D.
CHAIRMAN

The United Church of Canada

Board of Home Missions

REV. COLIN G. YOUNG, D.D.
ACTING SECRETARY

299 QUEEN ST. WEST
TORONTO 2, ONTARIO

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 10 1929
RECORDS

June 8th,
1 9 2 9.

J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Replying for Rev. Colin Young, D.D., who is out of the Province, to your favor of the 5th instant - No. 10-1-1 - re Rev. John A. Ward, would say that the arrangement you mention regarding his transfer from Georgina Island to Gibson Reserve as teacher and missionary is being carried out, the Settlement Committee of the Toronto Conference, which has been meeting here this week, having agreed to it. Mr. Ward will take up his duties at Gibson Reserve on July 1st.

The above arrangement will leave vacant the position of teacher at Georgina Island. This we shall endeavor to fill at the earliest moment and will advise the Department accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

Jas. N. Shannon

JNS.MLT

Assistant to Dr. Young.

Gibson $50
Egg Mt $50

Agent $50

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JUN 11 1929

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22-1-1

Ottawa, June 11th, 1929.

Reverend Sir,-

With further reference to your resignation as teacher of the Georgina Island Indian Day School, I have to say that the authorities of the United Church of Canada have approved of your transfer from that school to the school on the Gibson Reserve. The Department concurs in this arrangement and will allow you salary at the same rate as you are at present receiving, viz., $85 per teaching month. It is understood that you intend to proceed to the Gibson Reserve on or about July 1st, next.

Mr. J. M. Daly, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, is being informed of the approval granted for your appointment as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. You should arrange to reopen the school after the summer holidays, on or about September 1st, next. The Department hopes that you will meet with every success in your work on the Gibson Reserve.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. John A. Ward,
Georgina Island,
Ontario.

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22-1-1

Ottawa, June 11th, 1929.

Reverend Sir,-

I have your letter of the 8th instant, relative to the transfer of Rev. John A. Ward from the Georgina Island to the Gibson Reserve, as teacher and missionary. The Department approves of this arrangement and will allow Mr. Ward salary at the rate of $85 per teaching month, the same as he received as teacher at Georgina Island. We have informed Mr. J. M. Daly, the local Indian Agent at Parry Sound, of the approval granted for the appointment of Mr. Ward to the Gibson Reserve.

It is noted that the Church authorities will, in due course, nominate a successor to Mr. Ward at Georgina Island and will advise the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

(over)

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. Colin Young, D. D.,
Acting Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. W.,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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22-1-1

Ottawa, June 11th, 1929.

Sir,-

I have to inform you that, at the request of the authorities of the United Church of Canada, this Department has approved of the appointment of Rev. John A. Ward as teacher of the school on the Gibson Reserve for the next school year. Besides his work as teacher, he will also perform certain church duties. It is understood that he will take up his duties on the Gibson Reserve on or about July 1st, next, and will reopen the school after the summer holidays, on or about September 1st, next. The salary allowed him will be at the rate of $85 per teaching month. Mr. Ward and the church authorities have been informed accordingly.

(over)

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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J. M. Daly, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

June 4th, 1930 *19*

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-9 ,

amounting to $ 25.00 *in favour*

of A. N. Fenn, Merchant, Parry Sound, Ont.

for Fencing for Gibson Indian Day School grounds.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-9 *dated* May 3, 1930.

Your obedient servant,

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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Parry Sound May 31st 1930

M Dept of Indian Affairs
c/o J. W Daly Parry Sound
Gibson Band
Gibson Reserve

In Account With

A. N. FENN Bala.

HARDWARE & FURNITURE

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED FOLIO. INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Apr 30	2 Rdy Shovels	3	50		
	Freight		50		
May 8	5 M fence staples		40		
	6 Axes		20		
	17 40 Rods Fence	16	80		
	1 - 3½ x 36" Gate	3	50		
				25	00

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Gibson Indian Day School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A. N. Fenn, Merchant, Parry Sound, Ont

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-3 dated May 3, 1930		
	To fencing for Gibson Indian Day School.		25.00

EXAMINED and found correct

Sept 7-6-30.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent

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ACCOUNT

FREIGHT BILL—PREPAID CHARGES

No.

W. H. Fenn Parry Sound STATION May 1st 1930

TO CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, DR.

MAKE ALL CHEQUES PAYABLE TO THE ORDER OF THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

FOR CHARGES BILLED PREPAID AS NOTED BELOW:

WAY-BILL Date	WAY-BILL Number	Shipping Bill No.	CAR No.	CONSIGNEE AND DESTINATION	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES	WEIGHT	Rate	CHARGES
May 1	994			Chief Mitchell Bawaso Gibson Reserve Bala	2 Bleshouds	50	S	.50

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR GEO. S. JOHNSON, DATED MAY 27th, 1931, ON HIS INSPECTION OF THE GIBSON INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

Original on File 22-1-6.

During the past two years, there has been a tendency shown for some of the pupils to take the High School Entrance examinations and to follow this up with some High School work such as might be taken in a Fifth Class. This ambition on the part of the pupils is to be commended. The fault with this part of the work is that the teacher does not seem competent to interpret the Course of Study and when it is interpreted for him he seems to be able to follow it only remotely.

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EX'D.

EXTRACT FROM LETTER OF J. M. DALY, ESQ., INDIAN AGENT, PARRY SOUND, ONT., DATED SEPTEMBER 26, 1931.

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Original on No. 22-1-5.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
OCT 1 1931

Thanking you for your kind consideration in sending me what I believe to be good teachers. The man at Parry Island is on trial, and I think with careful handling he might be a success.

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I am Enclosing this little note, to let you know that if ever you have a vacancy in any of your institutions or Indian boarding schools I would be glad to get a position. With my education, and experience I feel I could accept control of an institution and give good service.

I am Yours Truly
(Rev) John A. Hard.

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Ottawa, April 2, 1932.

Rev. Sir:

Replying to your letter in which you request that, should a vacancy occur in an Indian residential school, you receive an appointment, I have to say that all residential schools are conducted under the auspices of one or other of the Churches associated with this Department in the carrying on of educational work. I understand that you are a member of the United Church of Canada, and I would suggest that you make application to -

Rev. Kenneth J. Beaton, B.A.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. W.,
Toronto, Ont.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Rev. John A. Ward,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Bala, Ont.

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May 3rd, 1932.

Mr. Russell T. Ferrier, M.A.,
Superintendent Of Indian Education,
Department of Indian Affairs.
OTTAWA, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Ferrier:

As I promised in a recent letter I am now reporting on my visit to the Gibson Reserve. I spent two days at Gibson and took charge of the work there last Sunday when we had very good and well attended meetings.

I found Mr. Ward still in bed with rheumatism but progressing favorably. I feel sure as the warmer weather comes he will make rapid recovery. I find that Mr. Daly has recently visited the reserve and has made arrangements for carrying on the work in the class room, so no doubt you will be receiving a report from him ere long.

With kindest wishes,

I remain,

Yours faithfully,

Arthur Barner

AB:NEF

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAY

ParrySound,Ont.
May 5, 1932.

T- 3581.

Russell T. Ferrier, Esq.
Supt. Indian Education,Canada,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

Sir;

I have to report that Rev. John A. Ward, Missionary and School Teacher at Gibson Reserve has been quite sick and has been confined to the house for two weeks, On a recent visit to the Reserve, when paying timber Interest money, I visited Mr. Ward in his home,and advised that he get in touch with Rev. Barner. Mr. Ward made arrangements with Miss Velma News, a pupil of the school in her second year High School work, to take over the classes which she has been doing,and getting along quite satisfactorily.

Mr. Barner, on receiving communication from Mrs. Ward, re her husband's illness visited the reserve. Before going out there,he talked the matter over with me here in ParrySound,and since coming back, has informed me that he has been in communication with the Department, and that the Department has kindly arranged to grant leave of absence to Mr. Ward and to arrange for reimbursing Miss Velma News for taking over the duties of School teacher. I would recommend that Velma News be paid at the rate of $2.00 a day for the time she will be teaching in the school. I am of the opinion that Mr. Ward will soon be able to take over his duties.

Trusting the Department will approve of my suggestion.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.

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EX'D.

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Ottawa, May 11, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 5th instant, relative to the illness of Reverend John A. Ward, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. In this connection I have to say the Department has received a communication from Rev. Arthur Barner, regarding arranging for a substitute teacher during the illness of Mr. Ward. We will reimburse Miss Velma News during the period she acts as substitute teacher, at the rate of $2.00 per teaching day. I would request that you inform the Department definitely as to the actual number of days taught by Miss News, in order that payment can be made her for this service at the above rate. It is hoped that Mr. Ward will recover from his illness at an early date and be able to again resume duties.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

Sick leave to May 30/32
R.A.D.

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E X T R A C T from Inspector Johnson's Report regarding his visit to the GIBSON INDIAN DAY SCHOOL on November 1st, 1933.

Original on File 22-1-6.

Teacher:- Rev. John A. Ward

There has been a slight improvement in Reading but the rest of the work is only very average.

I have suggested that some form of Household Science and Manual Training be introduced into the school - not necessarily an elaborate equipment but sufficient to give the rudiments. The teacher however is apathetic in the matter - anything new confuses him.

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E X L.

Ottawa, November 22, 1933.

Rev. Sir:

Public School Inspector Johnson visited the Gibson Indian Day School on the 1st instant and reports that, while there has been a slight improvement in Reading, the rest of the work is only very average. He also states that the teacher, Rev. John A. Ward, appears apathetic with reference to the school work.

In view of the Inspector's report, it appears advisable to make a change in teacher at this school for the academic year 1934-35. I would appreciate your giving this matter your kind attention.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

Rev. K. J. Beaton, B.A.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
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NOV 25 1933

Your File
No. 22-1-1.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ont.

Nov. 24th,
1 9 3 3.

Dear Sir: Re: Gibson Indian Day School.

Your letter of November 22nd with reference to your Inspector's report of his visit to the above School will be brought to Mr. Beaton's attention on his return to the office next week.

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

R. B. Cochrane

MLT.

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"C O P Y"

Bala P.O., Ont.,
Dec. 4th, 1933.

Rev. Arthur Barner,
299 Queen St., West,
Toronto 2, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

I have just received your letter of November 1st re Inspector Johnson's report of the Day School here. It comes as a surprise somewhat to me as on this particular visit he remained only a short time with us. He inspected some reading classes and said there was an improvement in the children's reading. I might just say that the children are a little nervous of Mr. Johnson, and read in a lower tone than usual. Indian children, in my twelve years experience in Indian teaching, do not speak out so freely or clearly as white children. They have their Indian language before they start school and this makes it more difficult to learn the English, and causes their articulation to be rather broken. The attendance here is rather irregular.

In reference to appearing apathetic about the work, I might simply state, that like my father, a university man and teacher, I have always enjoyed teaching school and have been interested in the profession. However I may appear, I have always had fair results in my work. In the fifty years of school work here at Gibson I have been the first teacher to put through an entrance scholar. In the three or four years here I have put through two scholars. I voluntarily offered to teach them the first two years of high school work to fit them for training for nurses. They came and did very good work. I have an entrance class this year. I also started a fair in connection with the school. We receive Eaton's school prizes with silver cup as well as other special prizes. The fair work includes writing, drawing, painting, agriculture, sewing and composition. Our work has been taken to the County Union Fair and we have carried off some First and other prizes there. Also some families have asked that I remain on here until their children get educated. I do not see how in these above examples of my work in the school that I have been apathetic in my dealings with the pupils. I do not say Mr. Johnson is aware of what I have just been stating. The Indian work is peculiar in itself and one has to adjust oneself to them to get the best results. This I am attempting to do to the best of my knowledge. With the above evidence I think I am obtaining fair reward for my efforts with ten years experience in white schools. I find

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it more difficult in Indian work though I think much of the work here measures up fairly with the average white schools.

As an ordained minister and Normalite I feel that my work is part of my religion and I will ever endeavour to obtain the highest reward in the work of my school. I have faithfully carried out any suggestions which Mr. Johnson has made in the school work in his inspections.

I trust that with this rather lengthy Epistle I have given you a truthful statement of the work being carried on here at Gibson Day School and that you are in a position to understand more fully how the work is going on here.

I remain,

Yours respectfully,

(sgd.) John A. Ward,

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Mr. J. D. Sutherland,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

December 11th,
1 9 3 3.

Dear Mr. Sutherland: Re: Inspector's Report on Gibson Indian Day School.

We appreciate your courtesy in sharing with us reports which come to you from time to time concerning teachers who are nominated by the United Church to serve on Indian Reserves.

Mr. Barner and I were both quite surprised at the type of report made in regard to Mr. Ward, as he is a man whom we have learned to trust because of close association extending over a period of years. We asked him for a confidential report on the situation and I am enclosing for your personal information a copy of his letter.

We have been discussing for over a year now the possibility of moving Mr. Ward to another school. We think he has been long enough at Gibson. Last summer we tried a couple of different moves, but failed in both instances because of opposition in the local Presbytery or Conference. We wish to assure you, however, that we have the matter in mind and at the earliest possible date hope to place Mr. and Mrs. Ward in fresh surroundings, in the confident expectation that this will help them to take a new interest in their very important task as missionary-teachers.

Yours very sincerely,

Kenneth J. Beaton

KJB.MLT

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

T- 5538

Parry Sound,Ont.,
April 24,1934,,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ontario.

Sir;

I would appreciate if the Department would let me know if there are any forms that I can give to the teachers to send in if they wish to stay in their position as teachers for another term.

The reason for me asking this is that the teachers that are in my Agency have the idea that it is a life job. If there is any form such as I ask for they would know that they are only in the schools from term to term,and if there is such a form it would be a nice way of having the teachers know that they are engaged from term to term. In the meantime the majority of them think that they are here as long as they wish to stay.

If you have any such forms as this I would appreciate it very much if some couldbe sent forward.

The very serious consideration of the Department in this matter will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.

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Ottawa, April 28, 1934.

Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 24th instant, I beg to say that the Department does not supply any forms of the kind mentioned in your letter. It has been the Department's practice to retain the services of teachers of Indian day schools as long as they meet with the approval of departmental officials.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Bala P.O. May 10/34

Gibson Reserve.

Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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MAY 14 1934
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Dear Sirs.

The United church of Canada have requested me to undertake the work on the Moravian and Parry after July 1st. As the work there includes the school teaching I hereby tender my resignation of teacher at Gibson to take the work at Moravian and Indian school after June 30th 1934. Trust this meets with your approval,

I am Yours Truly,

Rev. J. A. Wards.

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Ottawa, May 15, 1934.

Reverend Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, tendering your resignation as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, to take effect on June 30th, next. In reply I have to say that your resignation is accepted.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

Rev. J. A. Ward,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
B a l a, Ont.

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JUN 25 1934
RECORDS

June 23rd,
1 9 3 4.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ont.

Dear Sir: Re: Gibson Indian Day School.

We have secured as missionary for Gibson the Rev. C. O. Sommer. I wish to nominate Mrs. Sommer as teacher for the Day School at Gibson. She holds a first-class professional certificate, with Specialist's Diploma in Rural Science and has had ten years' teaching experience. I have interviewed her twice and examined her testimonials from two different schools in which she has taught. I believe that her training and experience are quite satisfactory. She has a certificate from Dr. Sangster of Stouffville, Ontario, stating that she is in good health and has never had any serious sickness.

As, according to the method of transferring ministers in the United Church, these changes should take place on July 1st, I would appreciate an early reply in regard to this nomination.

Yours very sincerely,
Kenneth J. Beaton

KJB.MLT

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June 26, 1934.

Memorandum:

The Honourable the Superintendent General,-

In my memorandum of the 8th instant, I recommended the transfer of Reverend J. A. Ward from the Gibson Indian Day School to the Moraviantown Indian Day School, and you approved this transfer.

I am now in receipt of a letter from Reverend Kenneth J. Beaton, Associate Secretary, Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada, nominating Mrs. C. O. Sommer as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School (Reserve No. 31, in the federal district of Muskoka-Ontario). Mrs. Sommer holds a first class professional certificate and has had ten years' teaching experience.

As the Department has previously allowed the Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada to nominate the teacher for the Gibson Indian Day School, I would appreciate your concurrence in Mrs. Sommer's appointment as teacher of this school.

Deputy Superintendent General.

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OFFICE OF THE
DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

MINISTER'S OFFICE
JUN 28 1934
DEPT. OF INTERIOR

June 26, 1934.

Memorandum:

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Approved
W. M. G.

Harold McGill

Deputy Superintendent General.

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Ottawa, July 3rd, 1934.

Reverend Sir,-

With reference to your letter of the 23rd ultimo, I beg to say that the Department approves the appointment of Mrs. C. O. Sommer as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School for the academic year 1934-35. She will be allowed salary at the rate of $850 a year.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

Rev. Kenneth J. Beaton, B. A.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
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299 Queen St. West,
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D.I.A.

Ottawa, July 3rd, 1934.

Sir,-

The Department has received the resignation of Rev. J. A. Ward, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

On the nomination of the Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada, we are approving the appointment of Mrs. C. O. Sommer as teacher of this school for the academic year 1934-35. She will be allowed salary at the rate of $850 a year. Please give her every possible assistance.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

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John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Wm. McKenzie

Gibson Indian Reserve,
Bala P.O., Ontario.
April 27th, 1936.

Secretary of Dept. of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa, Canada.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 2 1936
RECORDS

Dear Sir:

Mrs. Sommer and myself are missionary and teacher on this Reserve. We are new in work among Indians, being absolute greenhorns on our arrival here July 1934. We have worked away here however and have become very much interested in the work and in the Indians. We feel however that we need to know more about them than we do, in order to be of the most service in our work.

We understand that all Indians or tribes rather, have agreements or treaty's with the government. We have no idea what the treaty with these Indians is, or how their affairs are to be managed.

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If it is available to us, we would very much like to have all the information about these Indians that is obtainable, that we may more perfectly understand them and their relation to Canada's government and institutions, etc.

We find that the people spend way too much time arguing over things no one knows for sure about, and it seems to us that there must be information somewhere (surely with the Dept.) that would help clear up many matters at present not cleared up and never will be unless they know more about their own business. It seems just that they should know what are their rights and what aren't their rights; and that we all really should know how their affairs should be managed.

Thank you very much in advance for any help you can give us.

Yours truly,
(Rev.) Chester Sommer.

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May 5,1936.

Sir:-

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 27th ultimo and am enclosing herewith for your information copy of the Indian Act and the last Annual Report of this department. If there is any further information you desire on any point, will you kindly communicate with the Indian Agent at Parry Sound, Mr. J.M.Daly.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A.F.MacKenzie.

Secretary.

Rev. Chester Sommer,
Gibson Indian Reserve,
Bala P.O., Ont.,

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EXTRACT from Report of Inspector G. S. Johnson, regarding his visit to the Gibson Indian Day School on September 29, 1936.

Original on File 22-1-6.

Number of pupils present: Boys - 6
Girls- 10

Teacher: Mrs. C. O. Sommer - Age 33.

I Class - Nova Scotia.

The Entrance Class of four pupils all failed on the Entrance Examination. The cause of this failure may be attributed partly to the lack of ability of the pupils and partly to the lack of understanding of Entrance requirements of the teacher. While Mrs. Sommer is the teacher of the school, she finds it impossible to give full time to that work, and the work is divided with her husband. This year, Mr. Sommer takes the morning classes and Mrs. Sommer teaches in the afternoon.

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EX'D.

Ottawa, October 16, 1936.

Dear Sir,-

The following is an extract from a report of Inspector Johnson regarding his visit to the Gibson Indian Day School on the 29th ultimo:-

> "The Entrance Class of four pupils all failed on the Entrance Examination. The cause of this failure may be attributed partly to the lack of ability of the pupils and partly to the lack of understanding of Entrance requirements of the teacher. While Mrs. Sommer is the teacher of the school, she finds it impossible to give full time to that work, and the work is divided with her husband. This year, Mr. Sommer takes the morning classes and Mrs. Sommer teaches in the afternoon."

Please let me know why the teacher, Mrs. Sommer, is unable to give full time to her teaching duties. I may add that the Department was not consulted in connection with the present arrangement, namely, that Mr. Sommer takes the morning classes and Mrs. Sommer teaches in the afternoon.

Yours truly,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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ParrySound,Ont.,
Oct. 21,1936,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ontario,

Sir;

Replying to yours of Oct. 16th, 22-1-1 I have to state that when on a visit to Gibson Reserve paying Fall payment yesterday, I interviewed Mr. and Mrs. Sommer re the report of Inspector Johnson and his remarks re entrance examinations. Following are comments made by Mr. and Mrs. Sommer,-

Arrangements were made through the Missionary Organization of the United Church that Mr. and Mrs. Sommer would both help one another in the school work. Mrs. Sommer being the appointed teacher takes all responsibility for the conduct of the school, as she is a qualified teacher, first class. This arrangement has been in force ever since Mr. and Mrs. Sommer went to Gibson Reserve in 1934.

In June 1936 when Mr. Johnson,was on a visit of inspection Mrs. Sommer asked his opinion as to the advisability of sending the pupils to try the entrance examination, and Mr. Johnson advised that they should try.

Trusting this is the information required.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

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Ottawa, October 24, 1936.

Rev. Sir:

In your letter of June 23, 1934, you nominated Mrs. C. O. Sommer as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School and her appointment was approved by official letter of July 3, 1934.

A recent report from the Public School Inspector regarding this school reads as follows:

> "While Mrs. Sommer is the teacher of the school, she finds it impossible to give full time to that work, and the work is divided with her husband. This year, Mr. Sommer takes the morning classes and Mrs. Sommer teaches in the afternoon."

While Mrs. Sommer is a qualified teacher, the Department is not aware of Mr. Sommer's qualifications. It is doubtful if the present arrangement is in the best interests of the pupils. Please let me know if, when Mrs. Sommer was appointed, you arranged that she should only teach part of the day.

Yours truly,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

Rev. K. J. Beaton, B.A.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
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Your File
No. 22-1-1

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

October 30th,
1 9 3 6.

Dear Sir: Re: Gibson Indian Day School

I have your letter with regard to the situation at the day school on the Gibson Reserve, and note what the Inspector says concerning the way in which the work in the schoolroom is divided. I would like to know whether or not he followed that remark with any criticism of the teaching ability and methods of Mr. Sommer.

I may say that there was an understanding with Mr. and Mrs. Sommer when they were appointed that, on occasion, Mr. Sommer might relieve his wife in the class-room. He has special qualifications for teaching some of the subjects, but it never was intended that he should take over one-half of the teaching time. As a matter of fact, if he is really giving the leadership to the community which it needs, he cannot afford that much time to spend in the class-room. I am writing to them to-day, telling them of your communication, so that they may be aware that the present arrangement which they have taken it upon themselves to make is being questioned by the Department.

Yours sincerely,
Kenneth J. Beaton

KJB.MLT

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EX'D.

Ottawa, November 3rd, 1936.

Reverend Sir,-

With reference to your letter of the 30th ultimo, the only comment of the Public School Inspector regarding Mr. Sommer teaching the Gibson Indian Day School for half a day was contained in our letter of the 24th ultimo.

It is noted from your letter that it was understood that Mr. Sommer would teach certain subjects for which he is specially qualified. The Department considers, however, that the present arrangement is not in the best interests of the pupils. I would appreciate hearing from you when Mr. Sommer replies to your letter.

Yours truly,

R. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

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"C O P Y"

Gibson Reserve,
Bala, Ontario.
November 2, 1936.

Rev. Kenneth Beaton,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Beaton:

As the Indian Department's complaint concerns me, I feel I should write a few lines in answer too.

Quoting the Indian Agent (Mr. Daly) about this, he remarked, "I guess Mr. Johnson (Inspector) had a chip on his shoulder the day he called". At any rate I am deeply grieved over his untimely report from here.

He came the last of September. I showed him the new time table for the school asking for help if it seemed unbalanced. He said it was alright. I had changed some of the afternoon subjects to the 11 a.m. to 12 a.m. period in the morning, subjects in which Mr. Sommer gives special help such as music, singing, public speaking, reading, etc. (In this he is unusually capable and very successful.) I explained the change, that after this, when Mr. Sommer did help it would be in the morning instead of in the afternoon as previously.

When Mr. Johnson called it was the <u>second</u> morning of Mr. Sommer's help at school since school <u>started</u> in September, although last year he helped me more often in the afternoon periods.

Since coming here we have succeeded in getting four to study for the "Entrance". Only one in the Reserve has succeeded in the school's history. We were quite pleased to think we had persuaded four to even try. Last June Mr. Johnson came and I asked regarding the pupils writing the Government exams. I told him I was rather worried over three of them trying white people's standard exams in a strange school (Bala) etc., and that three did not know their work thoroughly. He said, "Send them anyway to give them an idea of what it is like whether they pass or not". I sent them. They all failed. Mr. Johnson, in turn, wrote to Ottawa, (we were shown an extract from his report) "Four pupils wrote. All failed. Fault partly due to children and partly to insufficient knowledge of the Ontario examination requirements." -- Why wouldn't Ottawa wonder how we were running the school by such a remark? I thought it quite unfair on his part.

Mr. Daly told us that they were expecting trouble as Ontario is trying to get the "say" of Indian Ontario schools. So far it has failed. Such things as these in Mr. Johnson's mind would spur him on, I presume, to send in an absolutely ambiguous report.

We are running a heavy schedule of school work, manual training, sewing, knitting, public speaking, special singing, soft ball, and soccer games for the school age children. I found the schedule too heavy to stand up under physically without help. We are conscientiously doing our best for the school (not omitting the community) which makes the complaint harder to

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bear without hurt. I feel very badly in having a complaint come in to your office over my seeming neglect of work, where, on the other hand, I am trying to do my very best to be an all-round help to the Reserve.

May I be allowed to suggest that you phone Mr. and Mrs. Douglas, 1529 Bathurst St., Apartment 12? We hired them as supply this summer and they must have gained some idea of our work from the children, while here.

Again I say I am very sorry over the trouble and misunderstanding due to the untimely report. Mr. Johnson has been and is always encouraging and quite enthusiastic over being answered by the children (he says) for the first time in his several years inspecting.

We would very much like it if you could at some time visit Gibson Reserve and/am sorry your heavy program is too rushed to allow you to do this.

Yours respectfully,

(signed) (Mrs.)C. O. Sommer.

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"C O P Y"

Bala, Ontario,
November 2nd, 1936.

Rev. Kenneth Beaton,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Beaton:

As Mrs. Sommer is writing you in some detail about the school work, I shall devote my attention to your request for information regarding my teaching qualifications. The usual first question that is asked is "Have you an Ontario Teacher's license?", and my answer is "No". I have only those qualifications which my particular training and study in religious education,and my experience in teaching Sunday School classes at Summer Camps and Teacher Training classes has given me, along with what intelligence and soul I possess.

My best answer is "by their fruits ye shall know them", but you have to know the fruits to know the qualifications. We know that the school has gone steadily ahead. It is much nearer the standard it should be than upon our arrival. Subjects are being taught,which before our coming the children were not expected to be able to learn. There is a higher percentage of attendance. The school children openly profess to like attending school now, whereas they used to dislike it. There have been only two children in the history of the Reserve (we are told) who ever tried their Entrance examinations before our coming. We have encouraged four to write and I think that is a good sign. Mr. Johnson, also Mr. Tipper (the one who conducts the school fairs here) have commented on signs of advance and qualities of personality, not known and marked by a board of strange examiners.

Mr. Johnson knows all the above, and I am surprised that he should send in an adverse report of the school here, considering all the advance which he knows has been made. The only explanation I can offer is that he may have a personal grudge against us because we let him know we were not satisfied with some of the marks given some of our entrance class, and he is responsible for that.

Mrs. Sommer and myself carry on extra classes with the boys and girls in woodwork and sewing respectively. These are entirely voluntary on our part and they take up a good deal of our time and mental and spiritual energy. We do not begrudge the time, but we would at lea st not be unfairly criticized for our work. In the subjects which I have been teaching in the school, Mr. Johnson has acknowledged that the quality has been steadily improving ever since we came. In general, may I conclude and summarize that we are convinced that the school, not to mention the whole Reserve, is getting better service under the arrangement we have been carrying out than if the minister had to teach and be responsible for <u>all</u> the work up here.

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Another factor motivating Mr. Johnson's conduct might very readily be that he imagines that besides what is allowed for teaching, I may be getting an extra thousand dollars or so as missionary. If so, I can understand this galling him when many of his teachers receive only $500.00 and upwards.

May I say in winding up this subject that I am very sorry there should be a troubling of the waters unnecessarily -- at the Department, your office or here. I trust that they will be quieted down again satisfactorily, and to the best interests of the common good.

Mrs. Sommer and myself join in thanking all who were instrumental in our having a very enjoyable and profitable summer. Best regards to you personally and success and happiness in your new work.

Yours very sincerely,

(signed) Chester Owen Sommer.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

November 6th,
1 9 3 6.

Dear Sir: Re: Gibson Indian Day School

I am sending you copies of replies received from both Mr. and Mrs. Sommer, of the Gibson Reserve, Bala, Ontario, concerning the Inspector's report. I am sure you will agree that they have made out a very good case. What they say is in harmony with the reports that have reached us from our Superintendent of Missions in that area and our Convener in the Muskoka Presbytery, where the school is located.

I am satisfied that there is no comparison between the work which is being done on the Reserve and in the school now and that which was being carried on for a good number of years by the missionary-teacher who preceded these people.

If you have any further comments to make, we shall be very glad to receive them.

Yours very sincerely,
Kenneth J. Beaton

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Encl.

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EX'D.

Ottawa, November 9th, 1936.

Dear Sir,-

At the time of his inspection of the Gibson Indian Day School on September 29th, last, Inspector Johnson reported that Mr. Sommer takes the morning classes and Mrs. Sommer teaches in the afternoon. As we had no intimation that this arrangement was in effect, a letter was directed to the Associate Secretary of the Board of Home Missions, United Church of Canada, under whose auspices this school is conducted and on whose recommendation Mrs. Sommer was appointed teacher. The arrangement mentioned by the Inspector has now been fully explained but, in writing, the teacher, Mrs. Sommer, states in part:-

> "Mr. Daly told us that they were expecting trouble as Ontario is trying to get the "say" of Indian Ontario schools. So far it has failed. Such things as these in Mr. Johnson's mind would spur him on, I presume, to send in an absolutely ambiguous report."

The Department would appreciate knowing from what source you obtained the above information. As far as we are aware, the Ontario Department of Education has not, at any time, made any endeavour to control Indian schools.

Yours truly,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Parry Sound, Ont.,

Nov. 12, 1936,

REX'D.

T- 6461

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario,

Sir;

Yours of November 9th, 22-1-1 received re Mrs. Sommer's remarks in her letter to the Department, and her reference to me as making certain statements as to the Ontario Department taking over the Indian Schools in Ontario.

I cannot understand why Mrs. Sommer would write like that to the Department. There are a lot of things I do not understand about the Sommers. They were so fussed up when I spoke to them about the matter that I tried to quiet them down and I may have said that 'Mr. Johnson might be under the impression that they were running the Indian Schools.' I explained to them that his Department was paid for his services as inspector, and that the recommendations of the inspectors were as a rule accepted, but not all the time. I cannot understand why Mrs. Sommer would make a statement like that. She has misconstrued everything that I said, and what I did say was to the effect that the inspector made his recommendations and it was up to the Department to say whether the recommendation would be carried out or not.

Trusting this is the information that the Department requires.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.

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Gibson Reserve.
Beda. Ontario.
May 21st. 1937.

Mr. J. Daly'
Parry Sound

Dear Mr. Daly'

We have just received word from Toronto - that the Conference of the Church starts June 9th. - to Mon. 14th. to which we are delegates. We always try to be there part of the time at least each year. Would it be satisfactory to you if we attend the days immediately preceding the King's Birthday (9th)?

Trusting it will be alright. You need not trouble to answer unless you - think differently. We will take it as silence means Consent!

Everyone seems fine regarding the school-age children.

Yours respectfully
(Mrs.) L. Sommer'

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Parry Sound,Ont.,
May 21,1937

R. A. Hoey,Esq.,
Supt.Welfare and Training,
Indian Affairs Branch
Dept.Mines and Resources,
Ottawa,Ont.,

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch.
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Sir;

Enclosed please find letter received from Mrs. Sommer the teacher at Gibson Indian Day School.

Mrs. Sommer is teaching and her husband is preaching in Gibson. Would you please reply at your earliest and state if you approve of these people attending the Conference in Toronto.

Your consideration in this matter will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Indian Agent.

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EX'D.

Ottawa, May 27th, 1937.

Dear Sir,-

The Department is in receipt of your letter of the 21st instant, enclosing a communication received from Mrs. Sommer, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

We are not prepared to approve the closing of the Gibson School for the period mentioned by the teacher. No doubt, she could attend the conference on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, June 12th, 13th and 14th. If so, the Department approves of the Gibson School remaining closed for this purpose on Monday, June 14th, only.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey.
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Parry Sound, Ont.
June 19th, 1937

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R. A. Hoey, Esq.,
Supt. Welfare and Training,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ont.,

Sir;

I respectfully offer the following suggestions, which I think would be of benefit to the running of schools in this Agency,-

I would suggest that before any teacher is employed for this Agency that she be asked to fill out a form stating her qualifications and notified that her appointment is for the teaching year (10 months) and that if she wishes to continue, and her services are satisfactory, she has to apply for the position from year to year.

I have found in the last 15 years here that the teachers applying for positions in this Agency, have the idea that it is a life job and there are two cases in point where the teachers have shown their utter disregard of this office, one was at Lower French School when Mrs. Munson was there, and the other is at the Magnetawan Indian Day School at Byng Inlet where Miss O'Meara is.

If this is done it would be a good thing for the teachers, a good thing for the Department, and a good thing for the Agency , and everyone would know just exactly where they stood.

The consideration of the Department to these remarks will be very much appreciated in this Agency.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Indian Agent.

JMD/EK.

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MEMO.

January 3rd, 1938.

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Agency Receipt No.s 44008 & 44009 dated December 23rd, 1937,

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For Treasury Branch.

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H.X'D.

Ottawa,
May 17, 1938.

Dear Sir:

I am advised by the Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada that Mrs. C. O. Sommer will give up duties as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School on June 30, 1938. We are approving the appointment of Mr. R. A. Gibson to take charge of this school on September 1, 1938, at a salary of $85.00 a teaching month. Please give him every possible assistance.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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May 31st,
1 9 3 8.

Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare and Training,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

My dear Mr. Hoey: Re: Gibson Day School

On May 12th, I wrote you on behalf of the Board of Home Missions of the United Church, to nominate as teacher in the Indian Day School, on the Gibson Reserve, for the academic year 1938-1939, Mr. R. A. Gibson, who has been teacher in the Georgina Island School. On May 17th you accepted our nomination.

As things have worked out we have been able to get an ordained minister, Rev. J. W. Johnston, to accept nomination to the school on this Reserve. Mr. Johnston is a graduate of the Ontario Normal Schools, and taught first of all at Uxbridge, then on the occasional staff of the Toronto Public Schools, until finally he had a permanent position in the Kimberley Ave. Public School in this city. Since then he has been a minister of our Church. He is a fine type of man, fully qualified, and we believe that both he and his wife would do good work on the Gibson Reserve. Will the Department be good enough to accept Mr. Johnston for this school in place of Mr. Gibson?

Re: Christian Island School

We would like to nominate Mr. R. A. Gibson for the Christian Island School for the academic year, beginning September 1st, 1938. His qualifications are well known to the Department.

Would it be too much to ask that, on receipt of this letter, or as soon as you have been able to come to a decision in regard to these two nominations, you wire me, so that I can report to the Settlement Committee of the Toronto Conference that everything is in order?

Believe me,
Very sincerely yours,

RBC.MLT

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Ottawa,
June 2, 1938.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393.

I desire to refer you to my memorandum of May 17 in which I advised you that Mrs. C. O. Sommer would give up duties at this school on June 30, 1938 and that her name should not be included on the monthly pay list after that date.

I further advised you that the Department was approving the appointment of Mr. R. A. Gibson to succeed Mrs. Sommer.

It has now been decided to appoint Reverend J. W. Johnston as teacher of the Gibson Day School. He will begin duties on September 1, 1938 at a salary of $85.00 a teaching month.

On the September pay list, and on subsequent pay lists until further notice, the following entry should appear:

Rev. J. W. Johnston $85.00
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Bala, Ont.

I enclose copy of letter of appointment. Staff questionnaire will be forwarded as soon as it is obtained.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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June 2, 1938.

Reverend Sir:

In view of the information contained in your letter of the 31st ultimo the Department approves the following appointments:

1. Mr. R. A. Gibson, at present in charge of the Georgina Island Indian Day School, to be transferred to take charge of the Christian Island United Church Indian Day School on September 1, 1938.

2. Reverend J. W. Johnston to take charge of the Gibson Indian Day School on September 1, 1938.

Mr. Gibson's salary at the Christian Island United Church School will be at the rate of $85.00 a teaching month and Mr. Johnston's salary at the rate of $85.00 a teaching month.

Yours truly,

TRLM

T. R. L. MacInnes,
Secretary.

Rev. R. B. Cochrane, D.D.,
Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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Department of Mines and Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUN 16 1938
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Your File
#22-1-1

Mr. T. R. L. MacInnes,
Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

June 15th,
1 9 3 8.

My dear Mr. MacInnes:

Thank you for your letter of June 11th, confirming the appointment of Mr. R. A. Gibson as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

We hope very shortly to be in a position to nominate a teacher for the Christian Island Indian Day School.

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

RBC.MLT

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EX D.
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Attention: Mr. R. A. Hoey

February 23rd,
1 9 4 0.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Sirs: Re - Gibson Indian Day School

I have your letter of February 22nd, in which you state that the Department feels it would be in the best interests of the work on the Gibson Reserve to dispense with the services of the present teacher. The matter will receive our further attention.

Yours sincerely,

GD.MLT

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Ottawa,
June 6, 1940.

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Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 1st instant I regret that there is no vacancy in any Indian school to which you could be appointed.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Mr. R. A. Gibson,
Sahanatien, Ont.

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Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
AUG 9 1940
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The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

August 9th,
1 9 4 0.

Dear Sir: Re - Gibson Indian Day School

I beg to nominate for the position of teacher in the Gibson Indian Day School Mr. Stanley Campbell, of Gravenhurst, Ontario.

Mr. Campbell is a graduate of the North Bay Normal School and holds a first class interim certificate. He is recommended to us for this position by the Principal of the Normal School, and also by the Inspector. I hope the nomination will meet with the approval of the Department.

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

R. B. Cochrane

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Ottawa,
August 10, 1940.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School
No. 393

In my memorandum of April 26 I advised you of the resignation of the teacher, Mr. R. A. Gibson, effective June 30, 1940.

To succeed him we have appointed Mr. Stanley Campbell at a salary of $85.00 a teaching month for the period October 1, 1940, to June 30, 1941. I enclose copy of letter of appointment and staff questionnaire will be forwarded to you when received.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa,
August 10, 1940.

Reverend Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 9th instant the Department approves the appointment of Mr. Stanley Campbell as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School for the academic year 1940-41. He will be allowed salary at the rate of $85.00 a teaching month and, as you are aware, the school will be open for a nine-month term; namely, from October 1, 1940, to June 30, 1941.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Rev. R. B. Cochrane, D.D.,
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22-1-1

Ottawa,
August 10, 1940.

EX'D.

Dear Sir:

On the nomination of the Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada the Department has approved the appointment of Mr. Stanley Campbell as teacher of the Gibson School for the academic year 1940-41. This school will be in operation for a nine-month period; namely, from October 1, 1940, to June 30, 1941. Mr. Campbell holds a first-class interim certificate. Please give him every possible assistance. I enclose staff questionnaire which he should complete and return as soon as he begins duties.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Parry Sound, Ont.
January 31st, 1941.

Dear Sir:

Agent's report for the month of January 1941.

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Attendance at the various schools is, as is usual in the winter, at a low ebb and this is increased on several of the Reserves by an epidemic of measles. There is also the usual amount of winter colds and flu. Dr. Denholm the medical officer for the Agency has been ill himself for more than a week past, but his practice is being looked after by his assistant Dr. Okey.

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Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. Mines & Resources.
Ottawa.

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Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development
MAY 29 1941
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Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey

May 26th,
1 9 4 1.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Write Burbidge

Dear Mr. Hoey: Re - Gibson Day School

Mr. Stanley Campbell, who has been teaching on the Gibson Reserve, has sent us his resignation. I have told him that he will have to write to you. In the meantime, I thought I should tell you that we shall make another nomination as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

GD.MLT

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Ottawa,
May 28, 1941.

Dear Sir:

I am advised by the Associate Secretary of the Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada that Mr. Stanley Campbell, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, intends to resign. He has been requested to forward his resignation through your office. Please see Mr. Campbell immediately and have his formal resignation sent to us. He should mention if he intends to remain until the end of the current academic year or if he intends to give up duties immediately.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Ottawa,
May 28, 1941.

EX'D.
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Dear Doctor Dorey:

I have your letter of the 26th instant in which you advise that Mr. Stanley Campbell, teacher of the Gibson Day School, intends to give up duties. As yet we have not received his resignation but I am writing to the Indian Agent in regard to the matter.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Rev. Geo. Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
May 29, 1941.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
MAY 31 1941
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Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of a letter from Mr. S. Campbell the school teacher and missionary on the Gibson Reserve in which he advises me that he has forwarded his resignation to the Missionary Society to take effect at the end of this school term.

I very much regret Mr. Campbell's decision, as this school has shown a very considerable improvement during his year of office.

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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Sahanatien. Ontario
Mon May 26. 1941

Mr. S. Devlin. Indian Agent.
Parry Sound. Ontario.

Dear Mr. Devlin.

I am enclosing the requisition for the school here for next year.

I have thought over my position here and have decided that I cannot handle both jobs as they should be handled another year. I have sent in my resignation for the end of June. I think you will understand my position and my reasons for resigning.

Yours truly
S. Campbell.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.
May 29, 1941.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
MAY 31
REGISTERED

Dear Sir:

Reference: Letter, May 28, 22-1-1.

I am enclosing herewith resignation of Mr. Stanley Campbell, school teacher and missionary on the Gibson Reserve.

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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Ottawa,
June 2, 1941.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School
No. 393

The Department has received and accepted the resignation of the teacher, Mr. Stanley Campbell, effective July 1, 1941. No further salary should be paid to him after the end of June. I will advise you later regarding the name of his successor.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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22-1-1

Ottawa,
June 2, 1941.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letters of the 29th ultimo you may inform Mr. Stanley Campbell that his resignation as teacher of the Gibson School is accepted.

As you were advised in my letter of the 28th ultimo we have already been in communication with the Associate Secretary of the Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada with reference to nominating a successor.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Sahgnatien Ont.
July 2. 1941
(June)

Dept of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUN 5 1941
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Dear Sir:

I wish to resign my position as teacher of the Gibson Reserve Indian Day School at the end of June. I have already sent in my resignation to the United Church Home Mission Office.

Yours truly,

Stanley Campbell.

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Sahanatien Ont.
June 30, 1941.

Mr S. Devlin. Indian Agent
Parry Sound. Ontario.

Dear Mr. Devlin:

As a member of the civil servic during my employment as teacher of the Gibson Indian School 5% of my salary was deducted for retiring allowance. On eighty-five dollars a month this deduction amounted to four dollars and a quarter. During the nine months the total withheld for retiring allowance was thirty-eight dollars and twenty five cents.

I was wondering if it would be possible to get this money refunded either in whole or in part now that I am leaving the civil servic.

Yours truly
S. Campbell.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
July 2, 1941.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUL 4 1941
REGISTERED

Dear Sir,

I am enclosing for your attention letter received from Mr. Stanley Campbell teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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Ottawa, July 7, 1941.

EXD.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 2nd instant, I requested the Treasury Branch to refund to Stanley Campbell the amount deducted from his salary and placed in the superannuation fund.

This cheque will be sent in your care, as we are not certain of Mr. Campbell's post office address at the present time.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mr. Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Ottawa, July 17, 1941.

EX'D.
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Dear Sir:-

I have to advise you that the services of the following teachers ceased effective July 1, 1941,-

Miss G.Harrington	Dokis Indian Day School No.385
Mrs.R.J.Ross	Moraviantown Indian Day School No.413
Miss A.C.E.Field	Walpole Island Indian Day School No.442
Miss D.Isaac	Walpole Island Indian Day School No.442
Miss Edith LeBlanc	Marie Indian Day School No.318
Miss Margaret Terrance	Caughnawaga Bush School No.303
Miss Janet Aitken	Alert Bay Indian Day School No.800
Mr.Stanley Campbell	Gibson Indian Day School No.395
Miss E.Graham	Rama Indian Day School No.421
Mr.T.W.Ebbern	Swan Lake Indian Day School No.544
Mr.V.Suddaby	Gwinaha Indian Day School No.812

Would you kindly let me have cheques covering the amount at the credit of the above teachers in the Retirement Fund.

Yours truly,

L.W.McCutcheon
Chief Treasury Officer.

The Chief Accountant,
Department of Finance,
OTTAWA.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY

Department of Mines & Resources
JUL 21 194
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Attention of:
Mr. R. A. Hoey

July 18th,
1 9 4 1.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Hoey: Re - Gibson Indian Day School

I am writing now to nominate Mr. B. W. Anderson as successor to Mr. Stanley Campbell as teacher for the next academic year on the Gibson Reserve. Mr. Anderson has a first-class teacher's certificate. It has not been made permanent, because, after teaching for a year and a half, he went into business in Toronto and has occupied quite an important position in one of the large firms here for several years.

Mr. Anderson has become particularly interested in the Indians, has visited several Reserves, and is anxious to do educational and religious work among the native people. He is a young man of fine appearance, good character and ability. I feel sure he will satisfy both the Government and the Church as missionary teacher on this Reserve.

I may say that Mr. Anderson expects before long to marry a young lady who is a graduate of the Bible College here, as well as a R.N. She is at present, I understand, doing some work in an inter-denominational mission on the Six Nations Reserve, south of Brantford.

I shall be glad to have your approval of this recommendation as soon as possible, as we desire Mr. Anderson to go to Gibson and take over the church work in the middle of August.

Believe me,
Very sincerely yours,

RBC.MLT

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Ottawa, July 22, 1941.

Dear Doctor Cochrane:

I have your letter of the 18th instant, nominating Mr. B. W. Anderson as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

Mr. Anderson's appointment is approved, effective from October 1, 1941, at a salary of $85.00 a teaching month.

Yours very truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Reverend R. B. Cochrane, D.D.,
Secretary, Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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Ottawa, July 22, 1941.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393.

In my memorandum of June 2, I advised you of the resignation of Mr. Stanley Campbell as teacher of the above named school, effective July 1, 1941.

To succeed Mr. Campbell, we have appointed Mr. B. W. Anderson at a salary of $85.00 a teaching month, effective October 1, 1941.

I enclose copy of letter of appointment, and staff questionnaire will be forwarded to you when received.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa, July 22, 1941.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 2nd instant and my reply of the 7th, in connection with the teaching services at the Gibson Indian Day School, the Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada have nominated Mr. B. W. Anderson. His appointment has been approved and his duties as teacher will commence on October 1, 1941. Please give him every possible assistance.

I enclose staff questionnaire which you should have Mr. Anderson complete and return as soon as he begins duties.

Yours truly,

Encl.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mr. Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY

July 31, 1941

Dept. of Mines & Resources
AUG 2 1941
REGISTERED

Attention of
Mr. R. A. Hoey.
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr. Hoey,

Re Mr. B. W. Anderson

We wrote you on July 18th in regard to the appointment of Mr. B.W.Anderson to Gibson Indian Day School. While we did tell you that Mr. Anderson expected to be married, we did not say just when. Mr. Anderson was in this morning and he intimated that he would be married about the middle of September. We thought you should havethis information so that no Defence Tax would be deducted.

Very sincerely yours,

R. B. Cochrane

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E. D.

Ottawa, September 6, 1941.

REGISTERED

Dear Sir:-

I am enclosing herewith cheque No.9899, in your favour, for $38.89, refunding the amount of your contributions to the Civil Service Retirement Fund, together with interest.

Yours truly,

L. W. McCutcheon
Chief Treasury Officer.

S.Campbell, Esq.,
Care of S.Devlin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Credit Advice

MEMO.

May 18th, 1942.

The following remittance has been received from

Indian Agent Samuel Devlin at Parry Sound Agency

and recorded in the Official Cash Book. Folio 50

Amount $ 10.00

Agency Receipt Nos. 24188 & 24189 dated May 14th, 1942,

Payer Dominion Government on account of use of Gibson and Moose Point Schools as Plebiscite Polling Stations - Revenue 12.

Department of Mines & Technical Surveys
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J. D. Lee

Chief Treasury Officer.

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EXTRACT
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Parry Sound, Ont.,
June 2, 1942.

Dear Sir:

Agent's Report for the month of May.

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Schools in the Agency are making fair progress and all teachers are giving good satisfaction. I hope that we will be able to retain them for the next school year as school teachers are not by any means a drug on the market just now.

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Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Extract from Indian Agent Devlin's letter
dated July 25, 1942.

On a visit yesterday to the Gibson Reserve, Mr. B.W. Anderson, who is the missionary and teacher there, informed me that he had received a call for military training and had asked for three months' postponement but has not yet been advised as to whether or not he will receive this. Mr. Anderson and his wife have been very successful on the Gibson Reserve and it would be very regrettable should he have to leave now. Would it be possible, in view of the shortage of teachers, for the Department to do anything in this case to obtain examption for Mr. Anderson?

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Ottawa,
July 31, 1942.

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Dear Doctor Dorey:

I am in receipt of a letter from the Indian Agent at Parry Sound which reads, in part, as follows:

"On a visit yesterday to the Gibson Reserve, Mr. B.W. Anderson, who is the missionary and teacher there, informed me that he had received a call for military training and had asked for three months' postponement but has not yet been advised as to whether or not he will receive this. Mr. Anderson and his wife have been very successful on the Gibson Reserve and it would be very regrettable should he have to leave now. Would it be possible, in view of the shortage of teachers, for the Department to do anything in this case to obtain exemption for Mr. Anderson?"

I regret that this Branch is not in a position to take the action suggested by the Agent.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Rev. Geo. Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey

August 4th,
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#393
Bala, Ont.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
AUG 7 1942
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Dear Mr. Hoey: Re - Mr. B.W. Anderson
Your File 22-1-1

I have your letter of July 31st. I had no idea that anyone would ask you to try to secure exemption for Mr. Anderson. In any case, we are not asking for it.

Yours sincerely,

Ko. Dorey

GD.MLT

Bala, Ont

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Parry Sound, Ontario,
December 10, 1942.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

I wish to advise that Mr. B. W. Anderson, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School was absent from his duties for four days, November 3 to November 6, inclusive. Mr. Anderson went to Toronto expecting to be back the following day but was unavoidably delayed.

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Parry Sound, Ont.,
March 3, 1943.

Department of Mines and Resources
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Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

Road conditions on the Gibson Reserve are expected to be very bad at some period of this month, when the spring break up occurs, and Mr. Anderson, the school teacher, has suggested that school be closed for one week when conditions are at their worst, which I think would be either the third or fourth week of this month. This week could later be made up by cancelling five days of the Easter holidays. I would be glad to have your authority to make this change in the school schedule.

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa,
March 5, 1943.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

I have your letter of the 3rd instant, with reference to road conditions on the Gibson Reserve during the spring break up. In view of the information contained in your letter, it has been decided to allow you to close the Gibson School for one week, on the understanding that the school will remain open during Easter week.

As a general rule the Department wishes the schools to be operated on the regular schedule and consequently the permission granted in this letter is given owing to exceptional circumstances existing this year and is not to be taken as a precedent for future years.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Parry Sound, Ont.,
March 2, 1943.

EX'D. A.

REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1943.

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February has been marked by an epidemic of 'Flu or Grippe all over the country and the Indians have not escaped, but as usual, have had mather more than their share. School attendance has been very poor and in some cases schools had to be closed owing to illness of both teacher and pupils. I have been glad to learn that we are to have a teacher for the Ryerson School on the Parry Island Reserve, which is now scheduled to reopen on March 4. This school has been closed since last June and a good many of the youngster have been running wild, although many who live near enough to the Village of Depot Harbour have been attending the white school there. This school suspension will perhaps help the parents th realize the benefits offered by the Department's schools and induce them to more urgently take advantage of such benefits.

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Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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269 Englewood Shine
Toronto Ontario
June 1st; 1943.

Dear Sir.

I am applying for a job as a school teacher, at Gibson Indian Reserve, Muskoka (Ontario). As I have knowledge that the present school teacher is leaving as soon as this school-term is over.

My home is in the Reserve but have resided in Toronto for the past four years. I am quite familiar with the children there.

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There are only about twenty pupils and there are no grades higher than grade six.

I have passed my High school Entrance examination and I have references of character. I am twenty-one years of age and am a Protestant.

An early reply will be greatly appreciated.

Yours truly
(Miss) Grace M. White

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Ottawa,
June 1, 1943.

EX'D.
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Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of the 1st instant, we have not yet received the resignation of the teacher of the Gibson Day School and consequently we are not considering any other applications at the present time.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Miss Grace M. White,
269 Inglewood Drive,
Toronto, Ont.

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Miss Grace White
269 Inglewood Dr
Toronto
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Gibson Indian Reserve 22-1-1
(Write name of place here)
Saskatchewan Ont
July 16/48

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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To the Educational
Branch Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont

Dear Sirs. Having observed about the difficulty had by the Educational Dept. to secure a day school teacher for Gibson Reserve for the next term Herein enclosed adress the lady who is willing to be employed as school teacher for this Reserve school. I am only a pointer, perhaps she will make her own application after writing to her. as far as I know this lady she is 22 years old. of a fine moral character. had passed her Entrance

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and able to teach pupils up to the grade to Entrance. she can furnish good references from her former employers. if necessary. this is as far I can go

Oh yes she did applied once for the school teacher while Mr B.W. Anderson was still employed. the Educational Dept told her after Mr Anderson resigns then she will be considered for further application for the position so here is the opportunity for the Indian Dept to secure school Teacher for Gibson Reserve School.

I remain Yours Truly

Wm Kennie

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Ottawa,
July 23, 1943.

H.A.D.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Within the last month we have been in receipt of two letters from Miss Grace M. White, 269 Inglewood Drive, Toronto, Ont., applying for appointment as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. This young lady states that she has passed her entrance examinations and considers herself qualified to teach in an Indian school. We do not agree with her in this contention, but my purpose in writing is to ascertain if Mr. Anderson intends to return to the school for the coming academic year. An early reply would be appreciated.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Pagry Sound, Ontario
July 27, 1943

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario

File 22-1-1

I acknowledge receipt of letter dated July 23rd., with reference to applications from Miss Grace M. White for appointment as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. Miss White is a former pupil of that school and I do not consider her qualifications sufficient for the position.

Mr. Anderson the former teacher is now definitely in the Army so that he will not be available for the next term. I understood that his resignation had already been before the United Church Mission Board and that they had been in communication with you in the matter of filling the vacancy. In fact Mr. Anderson mentioned to me that he had submitted the name of a friend of his to the Board but had been advised that his qualifications were not acceptable to the Department.

Samuel Devlin
Samuel Devlin
Indian Agent

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Ottawa,
July 29, 1943.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School
No. 393

The Department has received and accepted the resignation of the teacher, Mr. B.W. Anderson, effective July 1, 1943, and no further payment of salary should be made to him.

A cheque for the amount to his credit in the retirement fund should be issued in his favour and forwarded to S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa,
July 29, 1943.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

With reference to your letter of the 27th instant, the Department had not previously been informed that Mr. Anderson had definitely given up duties as teacher of the Gibson Day School. I am communicating with the Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada with a view to having them nominate a successor. A cheque for the amount to Mr. Anderson's credit in the retirement fund will be issued in his favour and sent to you.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa,
July 29, 1943.

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Dear Doctor Dorey:

I have just been informed by Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, that Mr. B.W. Anderson, teacher of the Gibson Day School for the past year, has joined the Armed Forces and his services will not be available for the coming year. It would be appreciated if you would nominate a qualified teacher for this school. Salary is allowed at the rate of $85.00 a teaching month, plus bonus.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Rev. Geo. Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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EX'D.
A.

Ottawa, September 7, 1943.

The Deputy Minister,
Department of Finance,
Ottawa.

This is to advise you that the services of Mr.R.W.Anderson, teacher, Gibson Indian Day School, ceased effective July 1, 1943. Would you kindly let me have a cheque in his favour for the amount at his credit in the Retirement Fund? No overpayment of any kind to this employee is outstanding.

Deputy Minister.

per L.M.C. Sept 9/43

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Ottawa, September 7, 1943.

The Deputy Minister,
Department of Finance,
Ottawa.

This is to advise you that the services of Mr.B.W.Anderson, teacher, Gibson Indian Day School, ceased effective July 1, 1943. Would you kindly let me have a cheque in his favour for the amount at his credit in the Retirement Fund? No overpayment of any kind to this employee is outstanding.

Sent 11/9/43 - S.S.

C. W. JACKSON

for Deputy Minister.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
September 11, 1943.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I am in receipt of a letter from Mr. B. W. Anderson, late teacher of the Gibson Day School, in which he makes inquiry as to a cheque for the deductions made from his salary on account of retirement fund. This cheque might be mailed to this office and I will forward it to Mr. Anderson.

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa,
September 14, 1943.

EX'D.
A.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

I have your letter of the 11th instant, with reference to the refund due Mr. B.W. Anderson, former teacher of the Gibson School. Due to circumstances beyond our control it will probably be two or three weeks before Mr. Anderson receives this cheque.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Dept. of Mines & Resources
SEP 27 1943
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Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey

September 24th,
1 9 4 3.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Hoey: Re - Gibson Reserve

We have an application for work here from Mr. J. O. Harris, who served as senior teacher in the Birtle Residential School. We beg to nominate him for the position at Gibson. I have not very much information about him other than that, but I must say that Dr. Cormie of Winnipeg, who has met him, recommends him highly.

We shall be glad if you will let us know immediately if you will appoint Mr. Harris.

Yours sincerely,

Geo Dorey.

GD.MLT

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Ottawa, September 27, 1943.

EX'D.
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Dear Doctor Dorey:

With reference to your letter of the 24th instant, this Branch is willing to accept Mr. J. O. Harris, as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. Salary will be allowed him at the rate of $85.00 a teaching month, plus bonus. Please let me know the approximate date on which he will report for duty.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa, October 12, 1943.

EX'D.
A.

Dear Mr. Harris:

Inspector Arneil has just returned to Ottawa, having during the course of his trip visited the Gibson reserve. Mr. Arneil was particularly impressed by conditions at your school. He has spoken in very complimentary terms of the appearance of the children, the attendance and the courses of study which you appear to have organized. It is very encouraging, of course, to the officials here to have such a report from Mr. Arneil, and I hasten to express my appreciation.

I am enclosing herewith, for your information, a vitamin chart prepared and distributed to our Indian agents and school teachers about a year ago. I am enclosing also copy of a letter written by Mr. L. Schuetze, the United Church missionary at Berens River, to Dr. Corrigan, and a report of Dr. Moore's trip to the Norway House district. It is my hope that you will find this literature interesting and perhaps suggestive.

Yours sincerely,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. J. O. Harris,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
B a l a, Ont.

COPY SENT TO DR. DOREY.

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ASSISTANT SECRETARY

Attention of Mr. R. A. Hoey

October 15th,
1 9 4 3.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Hoey:

We are grateful to you for copy of the letter sent to Mr. Harris, the new teacher at Gibson Indian Day School. I visited the Reserve on Monday and found conditions reasonably good, although the school was not in operation.

Yours sincerely,

GD.MLT

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Department of Mines & Resources
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Parry Sound, Ont.,
October 15, 1943.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I have received a letter from Mr. B. W. Anderson, former teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, complaining that he has not yet received the cheque for the amount of his payments to the Retirement Fund. Will you please give this matter your consideration.

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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EX'D.
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Ottawa, October 19, 1943.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

I have for acknowledgment your letter of the 15th instant, with reference to deductions from the salary of Mr. B. W. Anderson while he was employed as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

The records indicate that on September 11 the Department of Finance was requested to forward a cheque for the amount due Mr. Anderson. As soon as this cheque is received, it will be forwarded to him. It is regretted that there has been delay in regard to this matter.

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
OCT 21 1943

Mr. D. A. Hoey
Dept. Mines & Resources.
Indian Affairs Branch.
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir:-

I received your letter of October. 12, I wish to thank you very much for the Vitamin Chart.

I was very fortunate in being able to meet and talk with Doctor Corrigan when I was at Nonway House, so I know of a lot of the work that is being done in the Vitamin work amongst the Indians.

I was quite interested in the Northern Indian, and I believe I learned a fair amount about them. I know they love sport, such as physical training, tumbling, and such like, in games they are fond of football running and volleyball. I introduced volleyball to the children at Nonway House, and they certainly went for the game.

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I am a great believer in phys[illegible]ial training, and I am sure you will agree with me that it is one of the best tonics there is. I am certain with organized recreation, that our Indian would be a far healthier person than he is today. However that may be just my opinion but I do know that through the organized physical training that I gave the children at the various schools I have had occasion to be at, the children walked straighter, didn't shuffle as much, and I believe that their general physique improved.

I have sent an order through Mr. Deolen, requesting gymnasium shoes. Due to the dampness and colder weather it will be hard to be out of doors at all times, and taking physical training indoors with heavy boots on is quite awkward.

I wish again to thank you for your letter and chart.

Yours truly.

J. O. Harris

(Teacher Gibson Reserve)

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Ottawa,
October 28, 1943.

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Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

I attach T.D. 1 and cost-of-living bonus forms for completion by Mr. J.O. Harris, the new teacher of the Gibson School. Please have him complete and return these immediately, in order that the amount of salary due him may be paid. In completing these forms I wish to draw special attention to the fact that in the space marked "X" the date on which Mr. Harris began duties should be entered and not the date on which he is completing the forms.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Ottawa, November 3, 1943.

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EX'D.
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Samuel Devlin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

We are enclosing herewith Dominion of Canada cheque No.26893, drawn in favour of R.W.Anderson, for $79.86, being refund of Retirement Fund account.

L.W.McCutcheon
Chief Treasury Officer.

/B

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Ottawa,
November 6, 1943.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School
No. 393

The Department has appointed Mr. J.O. Harris as teacher of this school at a salary of $85.00 a teaching month, plus bonus, effective October 4, 1943. I enclose copy of letter of appointment and the other forms will be forwarded to you when received.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa,
November 8, 1943.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

The attached cost-of-living bonus form has been received from Mr. J.O. Harris, teacher of the Gibson School. In this connection I would point out that his salary is $85.00 a teaching month and that the entry following the word "Allowances" should be "Nil". This word refers to allowances paid by this Department and we do not make any to Mr. Harris other than his salary and bonus. I am, therefore, enclosing another set of the forms which he should properly complete and return. It is not necessary to have the forms signed by a Justice of the Peace, as your signature as Indian Agent will be sufficient.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Ottawa,
November 18, 1943.

EX'D

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School
No. 393

I attach T.D. 1 form. I understand you have already received the cost-of-living bonus form.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Gibson Indian Reserve,
Sahanatien P. O. Ontario,
Nov. 26th. 1943.

Cheque sent Nov. 29.

Department of Mines & Resources.
Indian Affairs Branch.,
Attention Mr. Hoey.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES & RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH
NOV 30 1943
REGISTERED

Dear Mr. Hoey:-

I have been on the Reserve here at Bala since October 4th. and as yet I have not received a wage Cheque for the month of October, and now it is nearly due again for November. Would you please look into this matter for me as soon as possible as I am in dire need of it. I have had no renumeration whatsoever since I left Norway House, and that was around the middle of September, so I presume you will understand my plight.

I wrote Mr. Devlin, Agent at Parry Sound, and he told me that he could not understand the holdup, as all my papers have been in for over three weeks, so again will you please

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give this your(ar) immediate attention.

Everything is fine on the Reserve and the Indians all seem quite happy. Up until now I have only had two absentees since school started. So I am quite pleased.

Yours sincerely,
J. D. Harris.
Missionary Teacher

mail nov. 23.
cheque no. 11708 $187-22
Hebron Ind. Res.
Bala Ont.

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Ottawa,
November 30, 1943.

Mr. J.O. Harris, Teacher, Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien, Ont.

I have your letter of the 26th instant, with reference to the non-receipt of your salary cheque. The necessary papers did not reach the Department until the end of the first week in November and the cheque was not issued until the end of that month, as all cheques are issued at that time. Cheque 41208 for $187.22 was mailed to you on November 23. I find, however, that it was addressed to you, Gibson Indian Reserve, Bala, Ontario. This is the address to which we have always sent the cheque for the teacher of this school. Possibly you desire your future cheques to be sent to Sahanatien and you might let me know definitely in this regard. In the meantime, if you have not received the cheque, please communicate with the Postmaster at Bala and have him forward it to you.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Gibson Indian Reserve,
Sahanatien Ont.
Dec. 21st. 1943.

Mr. Hoey.
Dept. Mines & Resources:
Indian Affairs Branch.
Ottawa, Ont.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
DEC 28 1943

Dear. Mr. Hoey.

In reply to your letter, re my wages cheque, there is more possibility of my cheque coming direct to me if it is addressed Sahanatien P.O. Ont.

I trust this meets with your approval.

Yours sincerely.
J. Thacker

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EX'D. A

Ottawa,
December 28, 1943.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School
No. 393

Please note that in future the salary of the teacher, Mr. J.C. Harris, should be addressed to Sahanatien Post Office, Ontario.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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File

Parry Sound Agency, Aug.1,1944.

REPORT FOR JULY.

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Schools are closed for the summer and we are going to have the usual difficulties with teachers. We are now short two teachers in the agency, but I have hopes of having these vacancies filled with the help of the local school inspector who has been very co-operative.

x x x

Samuel Devlin.
Indian Agent.

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IMAGE ORIGINAL ON 25-22

REPORT ON PARRY SOUND INDIAN AGENCY FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1944

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Schools in the Agency are all running on schedule and while the quality of teachers is not A-1, I think they are doing their limited best. Just at the present we have to take whatever is available in the way of school teachers.

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Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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GIBSON INDIAN RESERVE, MUSKOKA

J. O. HARRIS,
MISSIONARY

SAHANATIEN, P.O.
ONTARIO

Nov. 13th. 1944

Dept. of Mines and Resources,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ont; Canada.

Dear Sirs:

I am asking my Indian Agent Mr. S. Devlin of Parry Sound, Ont. to forward this letter to you.

This spring we very nearly lost otwo small Indian children, with sickness, because of no means of transportation or communication to a doctor or hospital. We are ten miles from the nearest telephone, that is one accesable by dayor, and twenty-seven miles to our nearest doctor at Gravenhurst.) So I purchased a car, and it has been used exclusively for the welfare of the Indians and my work on the reserve.

I have paid out of my own pocket over, sixty dollars for gasoline and oil alone, for doctor trips, not counting two or three trips to Parry Sound Hospital which is fifty-two miles from here, for an acute appendectomy operation. However that part is quite allright, but this summer my tires went, and I purchased two new ones and paid for them, a few weeks later two other tires went, and I purchased two new ones. These two tires are not yet paid for, as I have had additional

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GIBSON INDIAN RESERVE, MUSKOKA

J. O. HARRIS,
MISSIONARY

SAHANATIEN, P.O.
ONTARIO
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car expenses, and I was wondering in view of our position here and isolation away from doctors hospital etc. if the department could, or would, be kind enough to pay for these last two tries and one take. The bill for same is forty-five dollars and sixty-five cents. $45.65. I trust you will understand the situation and will let me know as soon as possible your reaction to this proposal.

I remain.

Yours very sincerely.

J. O. Harris.
Missionary Teacher.
Gibson Reserve.

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DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE.....

Parry Sound, Ont.,
November 16, 1944.

NOV 18 1944
REGISTERED

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I am enclosing herewith letter received from Mr. J. O. Harris, missionary teacher on the Gibson Reserve. With regard to Mr. Harris' request for the purchase of tires for his car, I am quite sure that the regulations would prohibit this. However, it is a fact that he uses his car to some considerable extent,as he has indicated, for the transport of sick Indians, but not as he himself says exclusively for that purpose. I would say that Mr. Harris uses his car about 90per cent for his own purposes.

I think possibly that the best way to handle the situation would be to pay him on a mileage basis for any trips which he may be compelled to make in bringing Indians either to the doctor or to the nearest hospital for medical attention. He has just recently been paid for one such trip and a few days ago he took two Indian children to Gravenhurst for tonsillectomies for which I am today sending forward a voucher for payment to him at the rate of .07¢ per mile. I would be glad if you would advise me if this meets with your approval and also if the rate of .07¢ per mile would be the correct figure.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, Ontario
November 24, 1944

The Department would be willing to pay Mr. J. O. Harris 10¢ a mile when it is necessary for him to use his car in connection with medical services to Indians on the Gibson reserve. I think if he explained to the local ration board his missionary work and his assistance to us in the medical service that they would give favourable consideration for new tires. It would be in order for you to corroborate his statements regarding the work he does for us. You may inform him that we will be unable to pay for his tires but he could submit accounts at 10¢ a mile for necessary trips he has made during the past summer and then submit accounts for future trips.

P. E. Moore, M.D., D.P.H.
Acting Superintendent of Medical Services

Samuel Devlin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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801 GREAT WEST PERMANENT BUILDING, WINNIPEG, MANITOBA

TELEPHONE
9 7 5 4 4

November 27th, 1944.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ont.

Department of Indian Affairs
NOV 30 1944
REGISTERED

Dear Sirs:

Re: Mr. J.O. Harris.

We are endeavouring to communicate with a Mr. J.O. Harris, formerly of Winnipeg.

We have been advised that he may be employed as a teacher in one of the Indian schools located in Western Ontario.

We would be grateful if you could search your records for this man and let us have Mr. Harris' address or any other information that might facilitate our contacting him.

We enclose herewith a stamped self addressed envelope and thank you in advance for your co-operation.

Awaiting your reply, we are

Yours truly,

FINANCIAL AGENCIES LIMITED.

B. Beldon
Western Division.

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Ottawa,
December 1, 1944.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 27th ultimo, we have a Mr. J.O. Harris teaching at the Gibson Indian Day School. His address is Sahanatien P.O., Ontario.

I enclose the stamped, self-addressed envelope which you forwarded.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mr. B. Beldon,
Western Division,
Financial Agencies Limited,
801 Great West Permanent Bldg.,
Winnipeg, Man.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
April 21, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I regret very much to be obliged to make an adverse report on Mr. J. O. Harris, Missionary teacher on the Gibson Reserve. On a recent visit to the Reserve, shortly after the reopening of the school following the Easter holidays, I found Mrs. Harris in charge of the school. I inquired for her husband and she advised me that he was in Toronto taking two weeks leave. Mr. Harris had not mentioned the matter of leave or made any application to me in this respect.

I am bound to say that Mr. Harris had made an excellent school teacher but that otherwise he appears to be very erratic and has had no success at all in dealing with the adult Indians on the Reserve. He has kept me in constant hot water settling his disputes with the Indians and in many ways his conduct has been open to question. Questions have been raised as to his handling of church funds, a matter which I have not delved into, as I consider it the business of the church authorities and, while I would hesitate to say that there has been anything wrong along these lines, there appears to be no doubt but that his handling of various sums of money entrusted to him has been, to say the least, extremely careless and questionable in a man of his position. I have had various complaints also from local merchants about the difficulty of collecting his personal accounts.

When Mr. Harris returns, I will interview him and advise you further as to what excuses he may have to offer of being absent without leave.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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QUARTERLY REPORT ENDING MARCH, 1945, ON PARRY SOUND AGENCY

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I will begin with what I consider the most important part of our work for the Indian - the educational programme. The greater part of our work will be finished when we have taught the Indian to live as we do and to think as we think. While this process of education cannot be completed by the ordinary schoolcurriculum, none the less the schools must supply the groundwork. I find that the average Indian professes a lip service to the principles of education for his children, but in actual fact opposes it by what at the best might be termed apathetic indifference. As an instance I might cite the case of the day school on the Parry Island Reserve which I was obliged to close for two months during the winter for lack of fuel. There are probably 12000 acres of this Reserve covered thickly with good fuel-wood, but I had to use all my powers of persuasion to get enough of it cut and hauled in to ensure continued operation of the school. Poor attendance is another bug bear with which we have to contend. It is interesting to note that the schools which have the best teachers and who are the strictest disciplinarians have the best record of attendance. It is my opinion that in the education of Indian children we should have the best brains of the teaching profession and that any extra expenditures to secure this would be repaid a thousand-fold. Our present rates of salaries paid to teachers of Indian schools, coupled with all the social and other disadvantages of life on an Indian Reserve leave us, when we come to engage teachers, with the culls of the profession when we should actually choose from the flower.

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Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Dept. of Mines & Resources
MAY 3 1945
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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
May 1, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

Further to my recent report on the missionary situation at the Gibson Reserve, I have to report that Mr. Harris was absent from his duties for one week. Apparently his wife had been having an affair with a young Indian boy of the Reserve and Mr. Harris has taken her to Toronto for psychiatric examination and treatment.

The whole affair has left us with a decided loss of prestige amongst the Indians and I consider that his influence as a missionary and teacher is definitely ruined, at least at that point. Mr. Harris was continually involved in quarrels with the Indians there and as I have mentioned before, there were questions raised as to his handling of church funds and he was also continually taking on financial obligations which he found it difficult to discharge and I have on several occasions been asked to bring pressure to bear on him to pay his debts.

He has mentioned to me a desire to be transferred to the Parry Island Reserve but I do not feel that I would care to have him continue in this Agency.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, May 4, 1945.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

I have had several letters recently from the Indian Agent at Parry Sound, with reference to Mr. J. O. Harris, missionary teacher on the Gibson Reserve. These reports indicate that it will be in the best interests of the work to dispense with the services of Mr. Harris at the end of the current academic year. I have discussed this matter with Mr. Hoey and he has suggested that I write to you. I trust that you will be able to nominate a qualified teacher for this school for the academic year 1945-46.

Yours sincerely,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division

Rev. George Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2B, Ont.

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Ottawa, May 4, 1945.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY.

Re: Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393.

Please note that Mr. J. O. Harris will give up duties at the above noted school effective July 1, 1945, and no further payment of salary should be made to him after that date.

for Deputy Minister.

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ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

REV. MALCOLM C. MACDONALD, B.A.
ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

Mines & Resources
MAY 18 1945
REGISTERED

Attention of Mr. Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division

May 18th,
1 9 4 5.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Phelan: Re: Gibson Day School (Your File 22-1-1)

I have your letter of May 4th. We hope soon to be in a position to nominate a successor to Mr. J.O. Harris, whose services will be dispensed with at the end of June.

Yours sincerely,

GD
MLT

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22-1-1

Ottawa, May 22, 1945.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

I desire to refer to your letter of the 1st instant, with regard to Mr. Harris, teacher of the Gibson School. In view of the reports that we have been receiving from your office, it has been decided to dispense with his services at the end of June. You should so advise him about the end of this month.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Department of Mines & Resources
MAY 31 1945
REGISTERED

Parry Sound, Ont.,
May 29, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

Referring to recent correspondence in the matter of the missionary teacher on the Gibson Reserve, I am in receipt of a request from Mr. Harris to be absent from his duties from June 4 to June 8, inclusive, as he desires to go to Toronto to complete arrangements as to the care of his family. Your permission for this absence is requested.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, June 1, 1945.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

With reference to your letter of May 29, the Department approves special leave of absence for Mr. Harris, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, for the period June 4 to June 9, inclusive.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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RETIREMENT FUND APPLICATION FORM

DEPARTMENT Mines and Resources, Indian Affairs Branch.

THE SUPERANNUATION DIVISION,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
NEW POST OFFICE BUILDING,
OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

Date July 19, 1945.

RETURN OF THE AMOUNT AT CREDIT OF THE UNDERMENTIONED EMPLOYEE IN THE RETIREMENT FUND IS REQUESTED.

Name Harris (surname) J.O. (Christian names in full)

(In the case of a female employee married while in the service give maiden name also .....)

Employed at Gibson Indian Day School, Parry Sound, Ont. Paylist No. 52 Payroll No. 1723

Date taken on strength this Department October 4, 1943

Date to be struck off strength this Department July 1, 1945

(If the employee has had previous service in one or more other departments, please state .....)

The final Retirement Fund deduction was made from the salary for the month of June, 1945.

Amount $ 4.25

Total contributions (if available) $.....

I hereby certify that no overpayment of any kind to this employee is outstanding except as indicated hereunder:—

*Payable as follows:

1. Receiver General for (to adjust overpayment) $ Nil
2. Receiver General for (Re: Victory Bond purchase) $ Nil
3. ..... (to be filled in by Finance Dept.) $

*Please delete items above not applicable. TOTAL $ Nil

SIGNATURE .....

TITLE Chief Treasury Officer.

This space for Department of Finance only

Charged to control.....

Prepared by..... Checked by..... Interest $.....

Date of payment.....

Approved by P.C. 38/3900, May 24, 1944.

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Ottawa, July 30, 1945.

REGISTERED

S.Devlin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

J.O.Harris, formerly teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School.

We are enclosing herewith cheque No.180006, drawn in favour of the above-noted, for $83.01, being refund of Retirement Fund account. Kindly forward the cheque to Mr.Harris.

L.W.McCutcheon
Chief Treasury Officer.

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J. O. HARRIS,
MISSIONARY

SAHANATIEN, P.O.
ONTARIO

July 31st. 1945

Mr. P. Phillan,
Dept. Mines & Resources.
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ont.

Write Dr Davy

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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Dear Sir:

It appears that with the trouble I have had with my wife, that Mr Devlin Agent of Parry Sound, feels that my services should be dispensed with on the Gibson Reserve.

I am terrible sorry for what has happened, but I feel that I am not to blame. I do not want to leave Gibson but then again, I can readily see why. I am very fond of the Indians as I have been living amongst them since I was quite a young, and it has and will always be my desire to teach them. Dr. Davy of the United Church Missions informed me that he was speaking to you in June, but at that time there were no vacancies in any of the schools, however I thought by now there might be some changes to be made, and I would be available.

I am keeping my children with me

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and when I know just what I am to do I shall be able to make my plans more complete as far as my family is concerned.

I do not think there is any need for me to go into detail, as to my ability, as this has been done on Gibson, however if you wish any information from me you could let me know.

In the meantime I shall expect to hear from you one way or another, and I certainly hope a school can be found, as I have no desire to teach white children if it can be helped.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

J. O. Harris.

N. B. I am at present running a boys summer camp, you may get in touch with me by mail at the enclosed address. JOH

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Ottawa, August 2nd, 1945.

Mr. J.O. Harris, Camp Westowanis, R.R.# 4, Malton, Ont.,

I have your letter of the 31st ultimo, requesting appointment as teacher of an Indian Day School.

I am writing to Doctor Dorey in regard to your request.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa, August 2nd, 1945.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

I have a letter from Mr. J.O. Harris who was in charge of the Gibson School during the past academic year, requesting appointment as teacher of another school.

I remember you mentioning this man's case to me when you last visited the Department and as far as we are concerned we have no objection to placing him in another school but in view of what has happened we are not desirous of appointing him to another school in the Parry Sound Agency.

I presume that you have several vacancies at which you ordinarily nominate teachers and if you care to recommend him for one of these vacancies favourable consideration will be given.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Rev. G. Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. W.
Toronto, Ontario.

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August 2nd,
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Attention of:
Mr. Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Phelan:

You will remember that when I was in Ottawa on June 7th I mentioned to you the possibility of the employment of Mr. J.O. Harris, who was at Gibson Reserve and who has quit that job. You have all the facts concerning him in your file. I am just writing to ask if you have any school to which you would care to appoint him. We have some vacancies, but they are all in British Columbia. You might have some school in Ontario that will be needing a teacher.

I shall be glad to hear from you at your convenience.

Yours sincerely,

Ed. Dorey.

GD.MLT

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Parry Sound, Ont.,
August 22, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

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I would also like to have any information with regard to the school on the Gibson Reserve. I have not yet heard that the Home Mission Society have made any appointment there.

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Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent

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August 21st,
1 9 4 5.

Attention of Mr. Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

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Dear Mr. Phelan: Re: Gibson Indian Day School

We have been doing our best to get a teacher, and I beg to submit the following:

Mrs. Clyde A. Matteson - who is a widow and an American; forty-six years of age. She was educated in the Detroit Public Schools and has a B.A. degree from the University of Michigan. She has also a life teaching certificate from that State. She taught for some time and has since been doing some war work. She is very anxious to serve the Indian people and comes to us well recommended.

I shall be glad to know if this nomination is acceptable to you.

Yours sincerely,

GD.MLT

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File: 22-1-1

Ottawa, 29th August, 1945.

Dear Dr. Dorey:

With reference to your letter of the 21st instant, the Department approves the appointment of Mrs. Clyde A. Matteson as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School with a salary of $85.00 a teaching month plus bonus.

I am advising our Indian Agent, Mr. Samuel Devlin, Parry Sound, regarding her appointment and he will be directed to give her every possible assistance.

Yours sincerely,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Rev. George Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
The United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto, Ontario.

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File: 22-1-1

Ottawa, 29th August, 1945.

Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ontario.

On the nomination of the Board of Home Mission, United Church of Canada, the Department is approving the appointment of Mrs. Clyde A. Matteson as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. Please give her every possible assistance.

I am enclosing the necessary forms which she should complete and return as soon as she begins duties.

for Deputy Minister.

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Ottawa August 30 1945

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299 Queen Street West
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Philip Phelan

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:IS MATTESON'S APPOINTMENT TO GIBSON SCHOOL APPROVED AS PER MY LETTER AUGUST TWENTY FIRST WIRE REPLY=

:GEO DOREY.

Department of Mines & Resources Indian Affairs Branch SEP 6 1945 REGISTERED

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CREDIT ADVICE

September 4th, 1945.

The following remittance has been received from

Indian Agent Samuel Devlin at Parry Sound Agency

and recorded in the Official Cash Book. Folio 135

Amount $ 8.00

Agency Receipt No. 37495 dated August 9th, 1945,

Payer Chas. Doherty on account of use of Gibson School -

Polling Station June 4th - Acct. 123.

Department of Mines & Resources
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Ottawa, September 11, 1945.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

I desire to refer you to official letter of August 29, advising you of the appointment of Mrs. Clyde A. Matteson as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. Please let me know if she commenced duties and, if so, you should forward immediately the forms that were sent to you in the letter referred to above. Unless these forms are received in the near future, there will be delay in paying Mrs. Matteson.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
September 12, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I am enclosing herewith the necessary documents in connection with the employment of Mrs. Katherine W. Matteson as school teacher on the Gibson Indian Reserve.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, September 15, 1945.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY.

Re: Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393.

As you have previously been informed, Mr. J. O. Harris, who was in charge of this school last year, has been transferred to the French Bay Indian Day School.

To succeed him, we have appointed Mrs. Katherine W. Matteson, at a salary of $85.00 per teaching month, plus bonus. I attach copy of letter of appointment and also T.D.1 form and cost-of-living bonus form. Staff questionnaire will reach you shortly.

for Deputy Minister.

Encl.

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Ottawa, October 2, 1945.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

With reference to Mrs. Katherine W. Matteson, who has been appointed teacher of the Gibson School, Mr. George L. Johnson, Public School Inspector, visited the school on September 17 and reports as follows:-

"Mrs. Matteson is entirely unacquainted with public school work. As far as I can learn, her teaching experience has been confined to languages down in Texas. She lacks energy and I am doubtful if the pupils will make much progress under her supervision."

I intend to ask the Inspector to make another visit within the next few months, with a view to reviewing her work again and giving her additional assistance.

Yours sincerely,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
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October 5th,
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Attention of Mr. Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division

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Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Phelan: Re: Gibson Day School (Your File 22-1-1)

I have your letter of October 2nd, giving an excerpt from the Inspector's report on his visit to this school.

I have written to Rev. J.A. Lyttle, our Superintendent of Missions, asking him to visit the Reserve as soon as possible and let us have a report on the situation as he finds it.

Yours sincerely,

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
November 2, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

Mrs. Katherine W. Matteson, missionary teacher on the Gibson Reserve is, as you probably know, a native of the United States and came here from Michigan. On her arrival early in September she was given a temporary entry record at Windsor which is valid until December 31, 1945. Mrs. Matteson requests that you take this matter up with the immigration branch and endeavour to have issued for her whatever entry record may be necessary to enable her to continue her work on the Gibson Reserve. The temporary entry record is enclosed herewith.

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

Department of Mines & Resources
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Ottawa, November 6, 1945.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

I am in receipt of the following letter from Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.: -

"Mrs. Katherine W. Matteson, missionary teacher on the Gibson Reserve, is, as you probably know, a native of the United States and came here from Michigan. On her arrival early in September she was given a temporary entry record at Windsor, which is valid until December 31, 1945. Mrs. Matteson requests that you take this matter up with the Immigration Branch and endeavour to have issued for her whatever entry record may be necessary to enable her to continue her work on the Gibson Reserve. The temporary entry record is enclosed herewith".

I doubt very much, if we made application for an extension, that it would be granted. I feel that you will have a better opportunity of obtaining the permission. I enclose the temporary entry record which Mr. Devlin sent with his letter.

Yours sincerely,

Encl.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Secretary, Board of Home Missions,
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22-1-1

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
November 21, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I received a wire on Saturday last from Mrs. Clyde W. Matteson, missionary teacher on the Gibson Reserve, resigning her position there effective December 17. I have since then seen Mrs. Matteson and advised her that it would also be necessary for her to forward her resignation to the Home Mission Board which she has already done.

Mrs. Matteson has not been very successful in her position on the Gibson Reserve and has become decidedly unpopular there. She is not at all the type for this sort of work but we had been so unfortunate with our teachers there recently that I had decided to give her some time to settle down and get acquainted in the hope that matters would improve. I was, however, very glad to get her voluntary resignation as things were going from bad to worse.

Mrs. Matteson complains very bitterly that her work was interfered with by Mr. J. O. Harris the last missionary we had at that point and who is now, I believe, employed in a similar position on the Saugeen Reserve. I believe that Mrs. Matteson has some grounds for her complaint as it would appear that Mr. Harris has made several visits to the Gibson Reserve recently. His wife, from whom he is estranged, has also been a recent visit or to the Reserve and I have been told that they have both said to various people there that Mrs. Matteson would soon be out and that either one or the other of them will be back to the Gibson Reserve to stay. This, of course, is only hearsay but I intend to write to Mr. Harris and advise him that he should stay away from this Reserve altogether as his visits there cause me a lot of trouble. I would also write to Mrs. Harris but I have not her present address.

With regard to Mrs. Matteson, I might say that Dr. Johnstone had been called in to treat her for a cold and his report to me was that the Mission House was very dirty and that Mrs. Matteson's person and clothing were also in a filthy condition. The Mission Board seem to have been very unfortunate in their choice of missionary teachers for this point.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
November 24, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

Mrs. Clyde W. Matteson, missionary teacher on the Gibson Indian Reserve, whose resignation I submitted to you a few days ago, requests that she be permitted to give up her position there on December 1. Mrs. Matteson reports that in the last week, school attendance has fallen off so badly that she believes there is no object in her continuing to make the necessary effort to keep the school going. She complains also of illness.

Mrs. Matteson has succeeded in antagonizing both pupils and parents to the extent that I believe she has no further usefulness in this position and I would be glad to see her released as soon as possible and replaced by any reasonable substitute.

Write

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, November 26, 1945.

Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

I have your letter of the 24th instant, with reference to the resignation of Mrs. C. W. Matteson. I have also reviewed your letter of November 21, which arrived during my absence from the office on business.

Dr. Dorey called at the office today and I informed him of the contents of your letters. He had also heard from Mrs. Matteson and he had expressed the hope to her that she would remain at the school until December 21, the closing date before Christmas.

While you recommend that she be released on December 1, I am inclined to feel, after discussing the matter with Dr. Dorey, that she should remain until the date mentioned above. It is going to be very difficult to secure a teacher, but we will make an endeavour to do so and would appreciate any assistance that you can give us in this regard.

The Indian parents should be informed that they must send their children to school; otherwise their family allowances should be discontinued. You can also assure any Indian who may enquire from you that the Department has no intention whatsoever to appoint either Mr. Harris or Mrs. Harris at any school in your agency.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
November 29, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

File No. 22-1-1.

Replying to your letter of November 26 with reference to the school situation on the Gibson Reserve, I have today been advised by Mrs. Matteson that she will continue to teach school there until at least the Christmas holidays.

I am aware of the very considerable difficulty at this time in getting competent teachers for our schools and at the moment I do not know of a single disengaged school teacher in this district. I will, however, keep on the lookout and will advise you further should I be able to do anything in the matter.

The people on the Gibson Reserve are being advised that keeping their children out of school will mean the cessation of family allowance payments.

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, 3rd December, 1945.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

I am advised by Indian Agent Devlin that Mrs. Matteson has decided to remain as teacher of the Gibson School until the Christmas Holidays.

I have not yet heard from Indian Agent Down with reference to the living accommodations at the vacant Oneida School. As soon as he replies, I will write to you.

Yours sincerely,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Secretary, Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
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PLEASE QUOTE
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Parry Sound, Ont.,
December 13, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I visited the Gibson Reserve yesterday and had an interview with Mrs. Matteson, school teacher there. She has definitely decided to give up her position at the commencement of the Christmas holidays and desires to know if the cheque can be forwarded to her to reach her not later than December 22 as she intends to leave for the United States on the evening of that day.

I am enclosing a record of the absentees amongst the pupils for this school covering the months of November and December and would wish to know if it is your desire that I communicate with the Family Allowance Board with a view to having the allowances of these children stopped.

The Stock family is the only one which appeared to pay any attention to my warnings and their children have been attending regularly during the month of December. Action had already been taken in the case of Clara News as her mother wrote personally to the Regional Director of Family Allowances. Mrs. Matteson appears to have been a very poor substitute for a teacher but none the less I do not consider that these people should be permitted to stage what is more or less a school strike. I will await your further instructions.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Gibson Indian Day School

Record of absentees for November and December.

	Nov.	Dec.	
Clara News	16	all	
Lyla White	14	3	
Ethel Stock	13	1	Now attending regularly
Walter Thompson	13	7	
Marina Strength	9	3	
Hindenburg Stock	15	3	Absent in Dec. account of illness.
Dalton Strength	16½	8	
Richard Strength	15	8	
Doreen Commandant	13	8	
Frances White	12	5	
Herbert Stock	14	1	Now attending regularly
Chester White	14	4	
Jas. White	16	4	
Neila Stock	11	1	Now attending regularly
Stewart Strength	20	8	
Loreen Commandant	15	8	
Elisabeth Strength	14½	4	
Dennis Stock	13	3	Now attending regularly except for illness.
Wilbur Strength	20	8	
Hubert Commandant	18	7	
Phyllis Dewasha	No attendance since Nov. 1.		

Average attendance 8.66

Six days accounted for by absence of teacher - 5 days illness in Nov.
1 day in Toronto in December to see Dr. Dorey.

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Ottawa, December 18, 1945.

Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

I have your letter of the 13th instant and regret that the cheque for Mrs. Matteson cannot be issued until the end of the month. This is in accordance with government policy and no exception can be made in her case. You should obtain her address and we will arrange to forward the cheque to you so that you can send it on to her.

With reference to the last two paragraphs of your letter, I am bringing to the attention of Colonel Jones, Supervisor of Family Allowances, the situation that has arisen at the Gibson School. Certainly, there is no excuse for parents whose children are receiving family allowances keeping them from school, simply because they do not like the teacher.

See Col. Jones' reply on file 80-22

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
December 17, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
DEC 19 1945
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Re: Gibson Day School.

I am in receipt of an application for the position of school teacher on the Gibson Reserve from Mr. Lawrence White of Bala. Mr. White has just recently been discharged from the R.C.A.F. and has not been teaching school for some little time. He holds a second class certificate for the Province of Ontario and I believe that he would make a suitable teacher for this school to carry on that position for at least the balance of the current school year.

If the Home Mission Board have not already made arrangements for some other person to take the place of Mrs. Matteson who will be leaving at the commencement of the Christmas holidays, I would be glad to hear from you with regard to Mr. White's application. Mr. White does not propose to take over the missionary duties which are usually associated with this post.

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Ottawa, 20th December, 1945.

Mr. Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

REFERENCE YOUR LETTER 17TH UNITED CHURCH MISSIONARY SOCIETY NOT PREPARED TO GIVE DECISION REGARDING GIBSON FOR TWO OR THREE DAYS STOP DOCTOR DOREY ANXIOUS TO KNOW IF YOU CONSIDER MRS MATTESON WOULD BE SUITABLE FOR RYERSON STOP SUGGEST YOU TELEPHONE DOCTOR DOREY UNITED CHURCH MISSIONARY SOCIETY 299 QUEEN STREET WEST TORONTO REGARDING TEACHERS FOR THESE TWO SCHOOLS

Philip Phelan.

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Send the following message, subject to the conditions on the back thereof, which are hereby agreed to.

Ottawa December 19 1945

Reverend Doctor Dorey
Secretary Board of Home Missions
United Church of Canada
299 Queen Street West
TORONTO Ont.

INDIAN AGENT DEVLIN RECOMMENDS EMPLOYMENT LAWRENCE WHITE AS TEACHER FOR GIBSON SCHOOL -stop- HE HOLDS SECOND CLASS CERTIFICATE AND HAS JUST BEEN DISCHARGED FROM R C A F -stop- MR WHITE DOES NOT WISH TO PERFORM ANY MISSIONARY DUTIES -stop- PLEASE ADVISE IF YOU CONCUR IN HIS APPOINTMENT

Philip Phelan

Charge Indian Affairs
Mines and Resources

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CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
December 21, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I acknowledge receipt of Mr. Phelan's telegram of this date. I have talked to Dr. Dorey today and have advised him that I do not consider that Mrs. Matteson would be a suitable teacher for the Parry Island School. I would be much better satisfied to wait until Mrs. Vandenberg can resume her duties there which I hope will not be too long delayed.

With regard to filling the vacancy on the Gibson Reserve, Dr. Dorey has in mind some young man from the west whom he would like to send there as missionary teacher but he is unable to say definitely at the moment whether this can be arranged or not. In the meantime, I will keep open the negotiations with Mr. Whitehead of Bala about whom I wrote you a little while ago as a candidate for this position. By the way, I mentioned this man's name as being Mr. Lawrence White which should have read Whitehead. I believe that this would be a much better solution for the present of the situation at the Gibson Reserve, rather than to accept another one of these missionary teachers about whom we know nothing and who have been the cause of so much trouble to us recently.

Department of Indian Affairs
DEC 24 1945
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Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
IndianAgent.

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File: 22-1-1

Ottawa, 26th December, 1945.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

With reference to our telephone conversation of December 20th, Indian Agent Devlin advises that he telephoned to you and expressed the opinion that Mrs. Matteson would not be suitable for Ryerson School. Evidently the Agent hoped that Mrs. Vandenberg will be able to resume her duties in a short time.

My telegram to you dated December 19th mentioned that the Agent could secure the services of Mr. Lawrence White. This should have read Mr. Lawrence Whitehead. I wish you would advise me this week if your other applicant is available, as if not, we want to definitely secure the services of Mr. Whitehead.

Yours very truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Secretary Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto, Ontario.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
January 5, 1946.

JAN 8 1946

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

Re: Gibson Day School.

I have been in communication with Dr. Dorey of the United Church Home Missions and he advises me that he has no further word of the young man whom he had hoped to send to the Gibson Reserve as missionary teacher, and that he would be quite satisfied if we went ahead and obtained a teacher for that school. I would therefore be obliged if you would give your approval for the engagement of Mr. Lawrence Whitehead of Bala about whom I wrote you on December 17. If his engagement is approved, you might send me the necessary forms for his signature and also indicate the rate of payment.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, January 9, 1946.

Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

With reference to your letter of the 5th instant, the Department approves the appointment of Mr. Lawrence Whitehead as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. Salary will be allowed at the rate of $100.00 a teaching month plus bonus of 17%. You may have him open the school immediately.

I enclose the usual forms, which Mr. Whitehead should complete and return.

For Deputy Minister.

Encl.

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WANTED - Teacher for Indian Reserve Day School.
Apply giving qualifications to Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ontario.

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PLEASE QUOTE
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Parry Sound, Ont.,
January 12, 1946.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JAN 14 1946
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Globe and Mail Publishing Co.,
Toronto, Ontario.

Please insert the following ad in six issues of the Globe and Mail. Send accounts in triplicate to me at this office.

"WANTED - Teacher for Indian Reserve Day School. Apply giving qualifications to Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ontario."

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

Copy for information, Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
January 18, 1946.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I am enclosing completed documents covering the employment of Mr. Lawrence Whitehead as teacher of the Gibson Day School. Mr. Whitehead started his duties on January 14.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JAN 22 1946

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Ottawa, 22nd January, 1946.

Representative of the Treasury
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JAN 23 1946
INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393

Mr. Lawrence Whitehead has been appointed teacher of this school, effective January 14, 1946 at a salary of $100.00 a month, plus bonus.

I enclose copy of letter of appointment, T.D.I. form and Cost of Living Bonus form. The Staff Questionaire will reach you shortly.

for Deputy Minister.

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Ottawa, January 25, 1946.

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JAN 26 1946
INDIAN AFFAIRS

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY.

Re: Gibson Indian Day School No. 393.

Mrs. Clyde W. Matteson gave up duties at the end of December, 1945 and no further payment of salary should be made to her.

for Deputy Minister.

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RETIREMENT FUND APPLICATION FORM

DEPARTMENT Mines and Resources, Indian Affairs Branch

THE SUPERANNUATION DIVISION,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
NEW POST OFFICE BUILDING,
OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

Date February 7, 1946.

RETURN OF THE AMOUNT AT CREDIT OF THE UNDERMENTIONED EMPLOYEE IN THE RETIREMENT FUND IS REQUESTED.

Name Matteson (surname) Mrs. Katherine W. (Christian names in full)

(In the case of a female employee married while in the service give maiden name also .....)

Employed at Gibson Indian Day School, Sahanatien P.O., Ont. Paylist No. 52 Payroll No. 1866

Date taken on strength this Department September 1, 1945

Date to be struck off strength this Department January 1, 1946

(If the employee has had previous service in one or more other departments, please state .....)

The final Retirement Fund deduction was made from the salary for the month of January, 1946

Amount $4.25.

Total contributions (if available) $.....

I hereby certify that no overpayment of any kind to this employee is outstanding except as indicated hereunder:—

*Payable as follows:

1. Receiver General for (to adjust overpayment) $ 4.25
2. Receiver General for (Re: Victory Bond purchase) $ -
3. ..... (to be filled in by Finance Dept.) $.....

*Please delete items above not applicable. TOTAL $ 4.25

SIGNATURE [signature]

TITLE Chief Treasury Officer.

This space for Department of Finance only

Charged to control.....

Prepared by..... Checked by..... Interest $.....

Date of payment.....

Approved by P.C. 38/3900, May 24, 1944.

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Parry Sound, Ontario.
January 2, 1946.

AGENT'S REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1945.

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One of the most difficult of these has been the situation in the schools. Generally speaking, the Family Allowances Act has been a very useful club to enforce scholl atendance and the mere threat of stoppage of the payments has usually been sufficient. In the case of the Day School on the Gibson Reserve, however, I have been obliged to ask for wholesale stoppages of the payments there was a concerted attempt to boycott the school owing to dislike for the teacher. We have had ill luck with our missionary teachers on this Reserve for the last couple of years. We had one who was an excellent teacher but a poor missionary. The last one was effective in neither position.

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Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, February 28, 1946.

REGISTERED

Samuel Devlin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

Mrs.K.W.Matteson, formerly teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School.

We are enclosing herewith cheque No.57657, drawn in favour of the above-noted, for $17.15, being refund of Retirement Fund account.

L.W.McCutcheon
Chief Treasury Officer.

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Re question Civil Condition.

Am not clear as to what you want.
Here I had intended to say "write"
but dont think you want that.
further remarks. which may help to answer it.
My position here is temporary till a missionary is found.
so I can be fired.
I have not my past nor do I now belong to
Civil service.

I am very much a civilian having been
discharged from R.C.A.F last years.
I'm married & have two children on friendly
terms with aforementioned & live with same
when I get the chance. for past five years
haven't had much chance.

I maybe for less than I did before I joined
R.C.A.F. I know lack a steady position which
is bad for my civil condition or something.
I actually gave up teaching years ago. (over)

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The pay here is below what is supposed to be the Ont. Minimum for teachers. This is bad for the civil condition too.

A good teacher a man should be hired (Not a hybrid teacher & preacher present in the (your) Territorth fired and ke[illegible] to interest himself in school children mainly. This would be good for the civil condition of Indians.

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Ottawa, May 17, 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY
MAY 17 1946
INDIAN AFFAIRS

Re: Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393.

Please note that Mr. Lawrence Whitehead, teacher of the above-named school, will give up duties, effective July 1, 1946, and no further payment of salary should be made to him after that date.

For Deputy Minister.

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Ottawa, April 6, 1946.

Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

On the Annual Report form forwarded to Teachers of Indian Day Schools, a copy of which I enclose for your information, you will note a question "Civil Condition". The correct answer to this question is either "Married" or "Single". Instead of answering the question, Mr. Whitehead wrote as follows:-

"Re Question 'Civil Condition' I am not clear as to what you want here. I had intended to say 'Terrible' but don't think you want that.

"Further remarks which may help to answer it - My position here is temporary till a Missionary is found, so I can be fired. I have not in past nor do I now belong to Civil Service. I am very much a civilian, having been discharged from R.C.A.F. last year. I am married and have two children - on friendly terms with afore-mentioned and live with same when I get the chance - for past five years haven't had much chance. I make far less than I did before I joined R.C.A.F. I now lack a steady position, which is bad for my civil condition or something. I actually gave up teaching years ago. The pay here is below what is supposed to be the Ont. minimum for teachers. This is bad for the civil condition too.

"A <u>good teacher</u>, a Man, should be hired (not a bybrid teacher and preacher), present incumbent ('Yours truly') fired and he (new man) to interest himself in school children mainly. This would be good for the civil condition of Indians".

"Am only here temporarily but if I stay till June I hope to have children interested in gardens of their own at home, there being no place for such at school."

..... I bring -

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I bring the above to your attention as you may have some comments to make.

I judge that there is no Missionary on the reserve at the present time and, consequently, the mission house is vacant. If Mr. Whitehead wanted to live in the mission house, I feel that if you telephoned to Dr. Dorey there would be no difficulty in making the arrangements. Of course, Mr. Whitehead may not want to live in that building under any circumstances. However, I just thought I would make the suggestion to you.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Encl.

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CHAIRMAN

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The United Church of Canada

299 QUEEN ST. WEST
TORONTO 2 B, ONTARIO

REV. GEORGE DOREY, D.D.
ACTING SECRETARY

REV. MALCOLM C. MACDONALD, B.A.
ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

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EXD.

Attention of Mr. Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division

November 10th,
1 9 4 5.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Phelan: Re: Mrs. Katherine W. Matteson
Your File 22-1-1

I have your letter of November 8th, suggesting that we apply for an extension of Mrs. Matteson's entry permit, so that she may continue as teacher on the Gibson Reserve after December 31st, 1945. I have written to the Commissioner of Immigration and hope to have a favorable reply. I shall write you again after I hear from him.

Yours sincerely,

Geo. Dorey.

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MLT

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RETIREMENT FUND APPLICATION FORM

DEPARTMENT..... Mines and Resources, Indian Affairs Branch

THE SUPERANNUATION DIVISION,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
NEW POST OFFICE BUILDING,
OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

Date..... July 18, 1946

RETURN OF THE AMOUNT AT CREDIT OF THE UNDERMENTIONED EMPLOYEE IN THE RETIREMENT FUND IS REQUESTED.

Name.... Whitehead (surname) ..... Laurence R. (Christian names in full)

(In the case of a female employee married while in the service give maiden name also.....)

.....)

Employed at.... Gibson Indian Day School, Sebastian P.O., Ont. ..... Paylist No..... 52 ..... Payroll No..... 1956 .....

Date taken on strength this Department..... January 14, 1946 .....

Date to be struck off strength this Department..... July 1, 1946 .....

(If the employee has had previous service in one or more other departments, please state.....

.....)

The final Retirement Fund deduction was made from the salary for the month of..... June, 1946 .....

Amount $5.00 .....

Total contributions (if available) $.....

I hereby certify that no overpayment of any kind to this employee is outstanding except as indicated hereunder:—

*Payable as follows:

1. Receiver General for..... $..... Nil .....
   (to adjust overpayment)
2. Receiver General for..... $..... Nil .....
   (Re: Victory Bond purchase)
3. ..... $.....
   (to be filled in by Finance Dept.)

*Please delete items above not applicable. TOTAL..... $..... Nil .....

SIGNATURE..... P.D. Gee .....

TITLE..... Chief Treasury Officer. .....

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Charged to control.....

Prepared by..... Checked by..... Interest $.....

Date of payment.....

Approved by P.C. 38/3900, May 24, 1944.

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REV. GEORGE DOREY, D.D.
ACTING SECRETARY

REV. MALCOLM C. MACDONALD, B.A.
ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

Attention of Mr. Philip Phelan

July 16th,
1 9 4 6.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES & RESOURCES
JUL 17 1946
REGISTRY

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontariop

Dear Mr. Phelan:

We have been asked to appoint Mrs. Matteson, who taught at Gibson last year, to another School. Would you let us have copy of reports on her work from the Inspector and the Agent? I am not sure whether we should appoint her again, but I should like your opinion. The actions and attitude of her predecessor, Mr. Harris, did not help her, and she might do better elsewhere.

Yours sincerely,

GD.MLT

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Ottawa, July 19, 1946.

EX'D.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, with reference to Mrs. Matteson who was employed at the Gibson School last year.

Public School Inspector, G.L. Johnson visited this school in the fall of 1945 and reported as follows:

"Mrs. Matteson is entirely unacquainted with Public School work. As far as I can learn, her teaching experience has been confined to languages down in Texas. She lacks energy and I am doubtful if the pupils will make much progress under her supervision".

In view of the above, I do not think that it would be advisable to appoint her at another Indian Day School.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Rev. G. Dorey, D.D.,
Acting Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2B, Ontario.

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Ottawa, July 25, 1946.

REGISTERED

Samuel Devlin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

EX'D.

L.R.Whitehead, formerly teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School.

We are enclosing herewith cheque No.18969, drawn in favour of the above-noted, for $28.11, being refund of Retirement Fund account.

L.W.McCutcheon
Chief Treasury Officer.

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Parry Sound Indian Agency

Report for quarter ending September 30, 1946.

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I am still short two school teachers in the Agency and find it very difficult to fill the vacancies. This is still my biggest headache and I can see no way out at the moment. Some of the white schools in the neighbourhood are still without teachers.

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Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Meeting of the Gibson Band Council

held on June 23, 1947

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Resolution No. 2

Moved by Eli Commandant,
Seconded by Robert Stock,

That the Department be asked to replace the present day school teacher, Mr. J.E. Hummel,

X X X X

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Resolution No. 2 asks that Mr. J. B. Hummel, teacher of the day school, should be removed and another teacher appointed. I cannot see anything behind this other than spite work on the part of the present Chief who has quarrelled with Mr. Hummel on various occasions. Mr. Hummel, I find, has been a reasonably good school teacher of good qualifications and I can see no real reason at the moment why he should be replaced. He is crippled in both hands and feet as a result, I believe, of some infantile disease and this has been made the occasion for foolish tales that his disability has affected unborn children on the Reserve with the result that they also had been born with defects, which of course is absurd. The only specific instance was a child of Chief Stock's born with a club foot. As I pointed out to these people, Mr. Hummel had not arrived on the Reserve before the birth of the child referred. to

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Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Parry Sound, Ont.,
April 26, 1948.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

File 22-1-1 (E.1).

I am in receipt of your letter of April 21 with reference to the teacher at the Gibson school. The petition received from the Gibson Reserve is returned herewith. I have no doubt that the decision to move Mr. Hummell is the correct thing but it is regrettable that our hands should be forced in this case.

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Samuel Devlin,
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Sahanatien P.O. Ont April 10th 1948

Gibson Reserve 22-1-1

To the Sec- Dept of
Indian Affairs, Ottawa Ont

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Dear Sir. We the undersigned petitioners do hereby decide to put in our action. in our petition of the removal of our present day school teacher and Missionary. at the expiration of his term on June 30/48. and stay away for good. as far as concerns of his day school teaching. our children that goes to school had not made no improvements or progress in their learning. two years running the school children had not shown any thing what they should have learned. not even taught how to learn some useful trade, like other teachers formerly have done.. several items unprintable. which he did neglect to have done to the welfare of the children Also. Mr Hummel does not follow the ritual and rituals of the United church. Section 100 sub Sect 2.3 forbids any man to be employed on a Reserve that does not belong 100/00 the same denomination as to what the majority of the entire Band belongs here is our signatures

Isaiah Sahanatien } Board
Wm Rennie. Councillor } church
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22-1-1 (E.1)

June 10, 1948. EX'D M

Dear Doctor Dorey:

With reference to previous correspondence regarding the Gibson School, we have just received the resignation of Mr. J.E. Hummell effective at the end of the current month.

We would appreciate it if you would nominate a qualified teacher for this school for the academic year 1948-49.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard F. Neary
Superintendent of Education.

Rev. George Dorey, D.D.,
Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St., W.,
Toronto, Ontario.

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Attention of Colonel B.F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
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Dear Colonel Neary: Re: Gibson Indian Day School

We have your letter of June 10th. We expect to nominate in due time a teacher to succeed Mr. J.E. Hummell, who has resigned as teacher of the Gibson School.

Yours sincerely,

J. R. Leng

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PLEASE QUOTE
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Parry Sound, Ont.,
August 5, 1948.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

Educational Division

I am enclosing letter received from William Rennie of the Gibson Reserve with reference to the Missionary-teacher setup there. Mr. Rennie, who poses as a lay preacher, would I think, like to take over the church himself.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Superintendent.

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(E)

August 12, 1948.

Gibson Indian Day School.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

Please find attached a letter received by Mr. Indian Superintendent Devlin from Mr. Wm. Rennie of the Gibson Reserve.

I think that I should draw to your attention Mr. Devlin's remarks concerning the writer of the letter. He states as follows:-

"Mr. Rennie, who poses as a lay preacher, would, I think, like to take over the church himself."

Yours sincerely,

Encl.

Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

Reverend George Dorey D.D.,
Secretary, Board of Home Missions,
The United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 2B, Ontario.

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August 12, 1948.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Superintendent, Indian Agency,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

I have for answer your letter of August 5 and wish to advise that Mr. Rennie's letter has been forwarded to Dr. Dorey, of the United Church of Canada.

I took the liberty also of passing on to Dr. Dorey, your comment concerning Mr. Rennie.

Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

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September 1, 1948.

Dear Doctor MacDonald:

I have for answer your letter of August 26. I had discussed with Dr. Dorey the appointment of Miss Reesor at Caughnawaga and we had agreed to let her choose between either this school or Rama.

I have had a letter from Mrs. Andrunyk advising me that she will go to Rama.

With regard to Gibson, we have no one in mind as yet for this school.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

Reverend Malcolm C. MacDonald, D.D.,
Associate Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 2B, Ontario.

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22-1-1 (E)

September 16, 1948.

Dear Mr. McKim:

I have for answer your letter of September 8 and am pleased to note your interest in the furtherance of Indian education.

Please find attached one of our standard application forms, which I would like to have you complete and return here for further consideration.

I have written to Doctor MacDonald in Toronto, concerning your application, and will communicate with you further when I hear from him.

Sincerely yours,

Encl.

Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

Reverend J. A. McKim, B.A.,
Hope United Church,
Alvinston, Ontario.

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271-7th Ave., N.,
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Minister in Charge
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Parliament Buildings,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Dear Sir,

From January 1929 to June 1929 I taught in the school on Gibson Indian Reserve,

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Thank you,

Yours truly,

Edith Fulcher.

Saharastien P.O. near Bala. Ont. Mr. J. M. Daly was the Indian Agent in charge.

Enclosed is a form re teaching experience. I'd be very pleased if you would sign it for me. I'm sending a blank form in case the one I completed is inaccurate. If it is correct I'd be pleased to have both forms filled

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CERTIFICATE OF TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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This is to Certify that Edith Fulcher
(Name)

taught in the Gibson Indian School in Gibson Indian Reserve, Sabaunteen P.O. via Bala, Ont.
(School Section and Township, Village, Town or City)

in the County of Muskoka continuously * from Jan. 2, 1929
(Day, Month and Year)

to June 30- ~~1928~~ 1929 a total period of 6½ teaching months.
(Day, Month and Year)

.....
(Secretary of the Board of School Trustees or Public or Separate School Inspector).

NOTE.—If the teaching mentioned above was done *outside* the Province of Ontario and *after April* 1, 1917, the statement should include a record of the salary (according to *school years*, *not* calendar years).

Dated at .....

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* If there have been breaks in service, give details. Preferably, use a separate sheet for each continuous period.

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22-1-1 (E)

, September 24, 1948.

Dear Miss Fulcher:

I have for answer your letter of September 20th.

Please find attached Certificate of Teaching experience completed as requested.

Sincerely yours,

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Edith Fulcher,
271-7th Ave., West,
North Bay, Ontario.

Encl:

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393-1 (E)

, November 17, 1948.

Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Secretary, Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 2B, Ontario.

Re: Gibson Indian Day School

Dear Doctor Dorey:

In my letter to Dr. MacDonald on September 16, I mentioned that I had received a letter from the Reverend J.A. McKim of Alvinston, Ontario. I have now received an application form from Mr. McKim. He advises that he holds a First Class Teaching Certificate and that he has had four years of experience in provincial schools. I understand that he also worked in your Island Lake Mission for three years. I attach Mr. McKim's covering letter as you no doubt will be interested in his application either at the Gibson School or elsewhere.

Sincerely yours,

Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

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Attention: Colonel B.F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education

November 18th,
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Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

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Dear Colonel Neary: Re: Gibson Indian Day School
(Your File 393-1 - E)

I have your letter. I am afraid that Gibson would not do for Mr. McKim. It is an isolated place, and I do not think that he would go there. However, I am writing him to see what he has in mind.

Yours sincerely,
Geo. Dorey.

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Attention: Colonel B.F. Neary

December 30th,
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Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Colonel Neary: Re: Gibson Reserve

Someone has made the suggestion that, instead of trying to carry on a school on the Reserve, provision be made to take the children to Bala. I understand there is a man with a covered truck who could take the children in, but, of course, the whole matter would have to be carefully considered, and, also, negotiations would have to be carried on with the Bala School. I do not know whether they would be prepared to cooperate with the Department.

Personally, I like the idea as it would give the children an opportunity to mix with others. The only difficulty which seems to be raised is that the children have not good enough clothes to go to school in Bala.

I shall be glad to know if there is any possibility of anything being done along this line.

Yours sincerely,

Geo Dorey

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393-1 (E1)

, January 12, 1949.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Supt. of Indian Agency,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Secretary of the Board of Home Missions of the
United Church of Canada writes us as follows:

" Someone has made the suggestion that, instead of trying to carry on a school on the Reserve, provision be made to take the children to Bala. I understand there is a man with a covered truck who could take the children in, but, of course, the whole matter would have to be carefully considered, and, also, negotiations would have to be carried on with the Bala School. I do not know whether they would be prepared to cooperate with the Department.

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I shall be glad to know if there is any possibility of anything being done along this line".

Please let me have your opinion regarding the above suggestion and if you favour it please let me know what would be the cost of transporting the children monthly and the number of children who might take advantage of this service.

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

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Parry Sound, Ont.,
January 15, 1949.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

File 393-1 (E.1).

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 12 with reference to having the school children on the Gibson Reserve go to the school in Bala. The main difficulty would be transportation, provided also that the Bala school would accept them as pupils which I believe they would do if they have sufficient accommodation.

There is a small covered truck on the Reserve but I am very doubtful if all the children could be transported in one trip in this vehicle. There are twenty-odd children who had been attending the school on the Reserve. The greatest distance to be covered would be about 12 miles and there would possibly be occasions during the winter when they might have to miss the occasional day as the road on the Reserve is difficult to keep open during the winter.

I have played with this idea myself for some time and will go further into it and see just what kind of a scheme might be worked out.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Superintendent.

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393-1 (E.1)

20th January, 1949.

Rev. George Dorey, D.D.,
Secretary, Board of Home Missions,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2B, Ontario.

Dear Dr. Dorey:

On receipt of your letter of 30th December, 1948, we wrote Indian Superintendent Devlin, and for your information I enclose a copy of his reply.

When we hear further from Mr. Devlin, we will write to you again.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education

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February 10, 1949.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Superintendent, Indian Agency,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

Gibson Indian Day School.

Could you please advise whether you have been able to make any progress with regard to the transportation of some of the children from the Gibson Reserve to the school at Bala.

Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

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Parry Sound, Ont.,
February 14, 1949.

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Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

File 393-1 (E.) Re: Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply to your letter of February 10 I would advise that I have been looking into the matter of the transportation of the children from the Gibson Reserve to the white school at Bala. There are two small trucks owned on the Reserve which had been mentioned for the transportation job. One of them, however, is too small and while the other, which is a panel truck, might accommodate the number of school children, that owner and driver is not a person whom I could recommend for such employment. He has obtained an ordinary driver's license but I know that his eye sight is very poor and I do not myself think that he should be permitted to drive any kind of a vehicle. In order to carry out this transportation business, it would be necessary for him to obtain a chauffeur's license and I am very doubtful if he could do so. In any event if he did obtain such a license, I would still not feel that the children would be safe in his charge.

It may be possible, however, to obtain a bus service from outside the Reserve and I am looking into this.

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Samuel Devlin,
Indian Superintendent.

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Dept. of Mines and Resources,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Welfare and Training,
OTTAWA, Ont.

February 24th.
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Attention Col. B.F. Neary

Dear Col. Neary:

Re: Gibson Reserve

Rev. W. Kendal writes that a Mrs. Dorthy Strength, a comparatively young woman might try to open the school for the Junior Grades. She has no training.

Will you ask Mr. Devlin to look into this if you think it is worthwhile.

It has been suggested that a Mrs. Nettie Doctor who taught at Caughnawaga 20 or 25 years ago might be interested. Will you look up her record. I have asked her to submit an application.

Yours sincerely,

Geo. Dorey

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March 1, 1949.

Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Secretary, Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 2B, Ontario.

Gibson Indian Day School.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

I have for answer your letter of February 24, concerning Mrs. Strength and have written to Mr. Devlin about her today. It will take some time to check the qualifications of Mrs. Doctor as her record is on a closed file.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

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March 1, 1949.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Superintendent, Indian Agency,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

Gibson Indian Day School.

We have received a letter from Dr. Dorey advising that Mrs. Dorothy Strength might be interested in opening the above school for the junior grades. Do you know this young woman and are you prepared to recommend her for this position?

Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

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Parry Sound, Ont.,
March 4, 1949.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

File 393-1-E. Re: Gibson Indian Day School.

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 1 with reference to Mrs. Dorothy Strength teaching the lower grades in the above school. I know Mrs. Strength very well and have a very good opinion of her character and abilities but I am not sure as to how far her own education went.

I had a telephone call from Mr. Little of North Bay last evening with regard to this school. Mr. Little, as you may be aware is an official of the Home Missions Board of the United Church. He told me that they had selected a young married man for the position at Gibson whom he thought might be suitable but that the arrangements were not yet definitely ~~contracted~~ *Completed*.

In going into the matter of having these children brought to the school at Bala, I have now been definitely advised by the Bala School Board that they have not sufficient accommodation ~~there~~ to take care of our children.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Superintendent.

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14th March, 1949.

Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Secretary, Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 2B, Ontario.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

Re: Gibson Indian Day School

On receipt of your letter of 24th February, 1949, we wrote to Indian Superintendent Devlin, and have received the following reply:

> "This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 1 with reference to Mrs. Dorothy Strength teaching the lower grades in the above school. I know Mrs. Strength very well and have a very good opinion of her character and abilities, but I am not sure as to how far her own education went.
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In view of the contents of the above, we will await a further communication from you before authorizing Mrs. Strength's appointment.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education

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Attention: Colonel B.F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education

March 17th,
1 9 4 9.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Colonel Neary: Re: Muskoka - Gibson Indian School
(Your File 393-1 - E.1)

Your letter of March 14th, which has been received in Dr. Dorey's absence, will be brought to his attention on his return to the office next week. In the meantime, I might say that our Superintendent, Rev. J.A. Lyttle, expects to visit the Gibson Reserve shortly and will go into the matter of the advisability of Mrs. Strength's appointment to teach on a temporary basis. We hope, however, to be able to nominate a man as teacher, who would be able to assume his duties about May 15th. We shall communicate with you again as soon as we have had a report from Mr. Lyttle.

Yours sincerely,

J. R. Leng

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MLT

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Attention: Colonel B.F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education

March 22nd,
1 9 4 9.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
MAR 23 1949
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Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Colonel Neary: Re: Muskoka - Gibson Indian School
(Your File 393-1 - E.1)

I have your letter of March 14th. In the meantime I have had a conversation with Rev. J.A. Lyttle, our Superintendent of Missions, who advises that he believes that Mr. C.A. Shaver, who taught the school at Christian Island, will be available about the middle of May. That is about the best that we can do. We have in mind someone to take over after the holidays if Mr. Shaver does not want to stay.

It might be well for Mr. Devlin to make arrangements for Mrs. Strength to begin work prior to Mr. Shaver's coming, though, in the light of Mr. Devlin's letter, I doubt whether there would be very much advantage to that.

I shall certainly be glad when this school is under way again.

Yours sincerely,

GD.MLT

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March 25, 1949.

Reverand George Dorey, D.D.,
Secretary, Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 2B, Ontario.

Gibson Indian Day School.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

I have for answer your letters of March 17 and 22, concerning the appointment of a teacher at the above school. I note that Mr. Shaver will be available about the middle of May. Unfortunately, he is now 68 years of age and it would be rather difficult to add him to our payroll. As you are probably aware, our Retirement age is 65. If you think that the Indians would attend during the summer holidays, we might be able to interest a university student in teaching this school for May, June, July and August. I have a number of applications on hand from university students who, I feel, would prove quite satisfactory. I will list some of their names and addresses for you and you will note that I have selected only the male students:

1. C. H. Brown, age 38, C.E., 6 years' service, Royal Canadian Navy, second year student, University of Toronto.
   Address - 27 Linden Street, Toronto, Ont.

2. J. J. Bond, age 31, Royal Navy service, under-graduate student in Anthropology, University of Toronto.
   Address: 150 Keewatin Ave., Toronto, Ont.

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3. John L. Howe, age 28, 4 years Canadian Armoured Corps, graduating in Arts this year, University of Toronto. Address: 20 Winston Grove, Toronto 18, Ont.

I also have the names of several students attending Mt. Allison University, Sackville, New Brunswick.

If you can arrange to interview any of the above students and find them suitable, please let me know and I will advise you the salary which we can allow.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

BFN/ES

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Attention: Colonel B.F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education

March 31st,
1 9 4 9.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES & RESOURCES
Indian Affairs Branch
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Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Colonel Neary: Re: Muskoka - Gibson Day School

I have your letter and can understand that it is difficult to take a man on the roll at Mr. Shaver's age, but at the same time he would only be a temporary employee. However, we have in mind the nomination of a man who has had two years' teaching experience, although that is only on a permit in Ontario. Would you agree to the appointment of Mr. Shaver as a temporary supply until the end of June?

I do not think that there is any point in trying to get the school going in July and August because the children are all away.

I shall be glad if you will let us know whether this proposal will be satisfactory to you. If you still refuse to consider Mr. Shaver, then we shall interview one of the students; but I should think that a good teacher like Mr. Shaver would be better at sixty-eight than an untrained teacher at thirty.

Yours sincerely,

GD.MLT

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Copy sent Mr. Devlin.

393-1 (E)

, April 5, 1949.

Dear Dr. Dorey:

Gibson Indian Day School.

I have for answer your letter of March 31st, and we are prepared to hire Mr. Shaver on the distinct understanding that it will only be until the end of June.

You can appreciate our position in view of the present regulations in the Civil Service Act. His salary will be at the rate of $180. per teaching month.

Please find attached Income Tax forms and Employee Questionnaire form for completion by Mr. Shaver.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Secretary, Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 2B, Ontario.

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393-1 (E)

, April 5, 1949.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Supt. of Indian Agency,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

Gibson Indian Day School.

Please find attached a self-explanatory letter to Dr. Dorey concerning the teacher at the above school.

Mr. Shaver is sixty-eight years of age, and you will note that we have agreed only to hire him until the end of June. He taught at the Christian Island U.C. Indian Day School and his work there was quite satisfactory. He is a qualified and experienced teacher, and should not have much difficulty with the school.

Fortunately, Dr. Dorey has in mind a young man with two years' of teaching experience for next September.

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Indian Education.

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Singhampton, Ont.,
April 8th, I949.

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
APR 11 1949
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Dear Sir:

For four years (I934-38) I taught the eight grades in the Gibson Indian Day School, Sahanatien,Ont., I taught the regular Ontario public school course and added sewing cooking, housekeeping,etc., to the curriculum. As I am a graduate of the Normal College ,Truro, N.S. I am asking the Dept. of Education, Ontario to grant me an Ontario public school license. This province does not seem to understand the training in the other provinces.

I would appreciate it very much if you would kindly write a letter which I could sendto the Dept. of Education, in Toronto, giving them an idea of how I handledthe Ontario System of Education for your Dept. the four years in Gibson Reserve. A favorable report would be very valuable and deeply appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

(Mrs.) Luella B. Sommers.

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, April 14, 1949.

Mrs. Luella B. Sommer,
Singhampton, Ontario.

Dear Mrs. Sommer:

I have for answer your letter of April 8. If you would, in writing next to the Provincial Department of Education, mention your teaching service at the Gibson Indian Day School during the period 1934-38 and also mention that during that time your school was inspected annually by Mr. George S. Johnson.

We have on file here copies of the reports submitted by this Public School Inspector, and his comments were always satisfactory concerning your teaching. The Provincial Department of Education will probably have copies of Mr. Johnson's reports on file.

Yours sincerely,

Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Indian Education.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1923. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Fred. G. Steeds	GIBSON	$700 00	$70 00	

REMARKS:—

Mr. Steeds appointed teacher September 1, 1923.

Salary $700.00 per an. Paid for one month.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

W. J. B.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED Dec 31 1923.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
F. J. Steeds	Gibson	700 00	# 210 00	

REMARKS :—

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FOR QUARTER ENDED MARCH 31, 1924. 192

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F. G. Steeds	GIBSON	$700 00	$210 00	

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FOR QUARTER ENDED JUNE 30, 1924. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
F. G. Steeds	GIBSON	$700 00	$210 00	

REMARKS :—

EXAMINED and found correct.

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26, 6, 24.

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22-1-3.

Ottawa, August 29th, 1924.

Sir:

Rev. Dr. C. E. Manning, of the Methodist Missionary Society, advises the Department that Mr. F. G. Steeds does not intend to remain as teacher at the Gibson Indian Day School, and Dr. Manning has nominated Mr. F. J. Joblin for this position. Mr. Joblin has taught at other Indian day schools and his services have been very satisfactory, and we are advising Dr. Manning of our approval of Mr. Joblin's appointment at the Gibson School. The salary allowed him will be at the rate of $700 per year, plus bonus. Payment of both salary and bonus will be made on the basis of ten teaching months in the school year. If Mr. Joblin reports for duty, the Department trusts that you will give him every possible assistance.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1924. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
F. J. Joblin	GIBSON	$700 00	$70 00	

REMARKS :—

Mr. Joblin transferred from Moraviantown Sept. 1, 1924.

Salary $700.00 per an.

EXAMINED and found correct.

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(Original on # 22-1-1.)

Ottawa, December 16th, 1924.

I have your letter of the 13th instant, enclosing a communication which you received from Mr. Frank J. Joblin, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, in which he applies for leave of absence during part of January, next, on account of the condition of his wife's health.

In reply I beg to say that Mr. Joblin may be allowed leave of absence for the period mentioned by him on the condition that he makes up the time lost either during the Easter holidays or the summer vacation. When preparing his return of attendance, days taught, etc., for the quarter ending March 31st, next, he should state thereon the dates between which the school was closed, as well as the number of teaching days. If this is done, and he makes up the time lost, he will receive his yearly salary in full.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1924. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
F. J. Joblin	GIBSON	$700.00		
			$210.00	

REMARKS:—

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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FOR QUARTER ENDED MARCH 31. 1925. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
F. J. Joblin	G I B S O N	$700 00	$210 00	

REMARKS:—

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED JUNE 30, 1925. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
F. J. Joblin	GIBSON	$850 00		
			$255 00	

REMARKS:—

As bonus has been discontinued salamy has been increased from April 1, 1925, by $150.00 for ten teaching months.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

EXAMINED and found correct.

J.P.

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22-1-3.

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Orig. on 22-1-1.

Ottawa, July 22, 1925.

Sir:

The Department has received a communication from Rev. Dr. C. E. Manning, of the United Church of Canada, requesting that the services of Frank J. Joblin be retained as missionary teacher on the Gibson Reserve for the next school year. We are informing him that the Department will approve of the re-appointment of Mr. Joblin, to resume duties on September first, next, when the school re-opens after the present summer holidays. The salary allowed will be at the same rate as he previously received, viz.: $85.00 per teaching month.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1925. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Frank J. Joblin	G I B S O N	$850 00	$85 00	

REMARKS:—

EXAMINED and found correct.

6, 10, 25.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st 1925.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Frank J. Joblin	GIBSON	$ 850 00	$255 00	

REMARKS:—

EXAMINED and found correct.

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15/12/25.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. T-612
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound, Ont.,

Dec. 12, 1925

Sir,—

I have to report that the majority of the teachers of this Agency will be leaving for home on the night of the22nd. Theyare all anxious to have their cheques for that date.

Would the Dept. please try to send the teacher's cheques to this office in time so that I could forward them to the various teachers in order that they may not be put to any inconvenience. I should state that this has been a very successful year in the schools of this Agency.

Trusting that the Dept. will give this their serious consideration.

I have the honour to be.
Sir:
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, December 15, 1925.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 12th instant I beg to say that the salary cheques for the teachers of the Parry Sound Agency will be forwarded to you to-morrow.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

John M. Daly, Esq..
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound. Ont.

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Ottawa, January 25, 1926.

Sir:-

I have your letter of the 22nd instant, requesting that, on account of an outbreak of whooping cough on the reserve and the consequent poor attendance of the Indian children, you be granted permission to close the Gibson Indian Dny School for the week beginning today.

In reply I beg to say that, in view of the reason stated by you, the Department will approve of the school being closed during the present week. We are informing Mr. Agent Daly accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Frank J. Joblin, Esq.,
Alderville, ONT.

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22-1-3

(Original on #22-1-1.)

Ottawa, February 9, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 5th instant, enclosing a report from Dr. Mason regarding the outbreak of whooping cough among the pupils of the Gibson Indian Day School. It is noted that it is considered advisable by the Doctor and yourself to close the school for a further period.

In reply I beg to say that this matter will be left in your hands to decide as to what is in the best interests of the work. It is expected, however, that you will reopen the school as soon as conditions warrant. When preparing your return for the current quarter, you should state thereon definitely the dates between which the school was closed owing to the epidemic of whooping cough.

We are informing Mr. Agent Daly of the authority granted you to close the school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

F. J. Joblin, Esq.,
Teacher, Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1926

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Frank J. Joblin	GIBSON	$850 00		
			$75 00	Advance

REMARKS:—

EXAMINED and found correct.

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26, 3, 26.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

~~Ottawa,~~ Parry Sound March 24 1926

R. T. Fernie Esq
Supt Education

Dear Mr Fernie

The Leaders of their agency have asked to have their Cheques for this Quarter by the 31st if possible

They have all given faithfull service under trying conditions weather etc

Your Consideration will be appreciated

Kindly have all Cheques sent to this office

Yours Truly
John M. Daly
agent

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Lower Fraser River ✓
Nanaimo ✓
Nanoose Bay Point ✓
Pynes ✓
Shawnigan ✓

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22-1-3

Ottawa, March 26, 1926.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th instant, requesting us to forward the March quarter salary cheques for the Teachers at the Parry Sound Agency. The salary of the Teacher of the Shawanaga Day School is paid from band funds and payment of her March quarter salary cannot be made until after April 1st. I have arranged to have her cheque forwarded immediately after that date.

At the present time our appropriation for the current fiscal year, which ends on March 31st, next, is practically exhausted and it is, therefore, regretted that the total amount due each of the other Teachers cannot be paid. I am arranging, however, to forward each of them an advance on their March quarter salary.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1926

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Frank J. Joblin	Gibson	$850 00		
			$255 00	
	Less advance -		$ 75 00	
	Bal. Due -		$180 00	

REMARKS: –

EXAMINED and found correct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

8, 4, 26.

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MEMORANDUM

Gibson

Beginning with the quarter ending June 30th,1926, the salary of the teacher at this school should be paid as follows:-

Make Ck. payable and send to "Treasurer, Methodist Missionary Society, Methodist Mission Rooms, Toronto, Ont."

Salvation

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22-1-3

Ottawa, June 10th, 1926.

Sir,-

At the request of the Methodist Section of the Missionary Society of the United Church of Canada, who are associated with us in the conduct of the Gibson Indian Day School, the cheque in payment of your salary as teacher, will in future be forwarded to the Treasurer of the Missionary Society, Toronto. He will arrange to forward you the amount due at regular intervals.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

Frank J. Joblin, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1926

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Frank J. Joblin	Gibson	$850 00	$255 00	

REMARKS: –

EXAMINED and found correct.

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INDIAN OFFICE

At Parry Sound, Ont.,

June 17, 1926.

MEMO.

R.T.Ferrier Esq.,
Supt. Indian Education,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr.Ferrier:

I have to report that the teachers of this Agency have asked that their cheques for term ending June 30 be here by the 25th.of the month.

This request seems reasonable as some of them have to go a long distance and will be leaving on the midnight of the 30th. The 26th. comes on a Saturday and they would like to do some some shopping before they go home. I can arrange with the Manager of the Bank to cash their cheques. The Bank will be closed before the train comes in but the Manager will oblige us in that way. Mrs. English and Mrs.Earl Taylor cannot get in on time for the Bank on Saturday.

Left 22-8-1

I should state that Mrs. Taylor is handing in her resignation as teacher at the end of this term and will not be available for next year. I have spoken to the Rev.Father McFadden here to try to get a Teacher as all the Indians at Maganetawan are Roman Catholics. He will let me know in good time what he can do. Miss Smiley of Ryerson Indian Day School has asked permission to close school on the 25th. and as she has a very long way to go and has given excellent service, I would recommend that her request be favourably considered. Owing to a resolution passed some time ago by the Gibson Council regarding a new teacher being appointed, I would suggest that the Dept. ask the Missionary people at Toronto to make a change at Gibson. I know that Mr. Joblin has been in the service of the Dept. for a number of years but somehow or other he doesn't seem to fit in at Gibson. This is only a suggestion on my part. I think that Mr.Joblin will be glad of a change.

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Please say if I can expect the cheques on the 25th.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent

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22-1-3

Ottawa, June 16th, 1926.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th instant, with reference to forwarding the cheques of the teachers of the Indian Day Schools in your agency.

The Methodist Section of the Missionary Society of the United Church of Canada has requested that the salary of Mr. F.J. Joblin, teacher of the Gibson Day School, be forwarded to them and they will make arrangements to pay him. The cheque for this teacher will, therefore, be sent as requested by the Missionary Society.

The cheques for the teachers of the other Indian Day Schools in your agency will be forwarded to you by the 25th instant.

Separate communications will be directed to you regarding the other matters in your letter.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th 1926

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Frank J. Joblin	GIBSON	$850 00	$85 00	

Make Ck. payable and send to "Treasurer, Methodist Missionary Society, Methodist Mission Rooms, Toronto, Ont."

REMARKS: —

EXAMINED and found correct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

9, 10, 26

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Ottawa, December 15th, 1926.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose the December quarter salary cheques of the teachers of the Shawanaga, Lower French River, Moose Deer Point, Ryerson, Sheguiandah, and Maganetewan Day Schools.

The salary of the teacher of the Gibson Day School is now forwarded to the Treasurer of the Methodist Missionary Society, Toronto.

Please arrange with the teachers to prepare and forward their usual quarterly returns.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1926.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Frank J. Joblin	GIBSON	$850 00	$255 00	

Make Ck. payable and send to "Treasurer, Methodist Missionary Society, Methodist Mission Rooms, Toronto, Ont."

REMARKS: --

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1927.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Frank J. Joblin	GIBSON	$850 00	$255 00	

REMARKS: —

MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO
The Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to
Rev. C. E. Manning, D. D.
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto, (2) Ont.

EXAMINED and found correct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1927.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Frank J. Joblin	GIBSON	$850 00	$255 00	

MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO
The Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to
Rev. C. E. Manning, D. D.
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto, (2) Ont.

REMARKS: –

EXAMINED and found correct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

4/7/27.

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(Original on # 22-1-1.)

Ottawa, August 31, 1927.

Sir:

I have to inform you that the Department has approved of the appointment of Mr. Charles D. Hoffman to the Gibson Indian Day School. He will replace Mr. Joblin, who is being informed by the Church authorities. Salary at the rate of $90 per teaching month will be allowed in his case. Please give him whatever help you can. Mr. Hoffman is a young man, fully qualified, but without previous teaching experience.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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C O P Y.

22-1-3

Original on 22-1-1

Ottawa, September 8th, 1927.

Sir,-

Referring to official letter of the 31st ultimo in which you were informed of a change of teacher at the Gibson Indian Day School, I beg to say that I am today in receipt of a letter from the Church authorities in which they advise that Mr. Donald C. Hoffman has declined to accept the position. Under these circumstances, it has been arranged to allow Mr. F. J. Joblin to remain at Gibson until a suitable successor can be secured.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th, 1927.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Frank J. Joblin	GIBSON	$850 00	$85 00	

MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO
The Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to
Rev. C. [illegible] Manning, D. D.
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto, (2) Ont.

REMARKS: —

[illegible] and found correct

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

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(Original on # 22-1-1.)

Ottawa, September 29, 1927.

Sir:

Referring to previous correspondence regarding the appointment of a teacher for the Gibson Indian Day School, I now beg to inform you that the authorities of the United Church of Canada have nominated the services of Rev. F. J. Reed for the position of missionary teacher. Mr. Reed is a returned missionary, and has had previous teaching experience. He is a young, married man. The Department is approving of his appointment, to succ ed Mr. Joblin. The salary allowed is at the rate of $85 per teaching month.

We are requesting the authorities of the United Church to make the necessary arrangements for Mr. Reed to begin duties. I shall be pleased if you will grant him every assistance you can in his work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
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22-1-3

-- COPY -- (Original on #22-1-1.)

Ottawa, October 4, 1927.

Sir:

Referring to our letter of the 29th ultimo, I now beg to inform you that the authorities of the United Church of Canada state that Rev. F. J. Reade has accepted the position of missionary teacher for the Gibson Reserve. Mr. Reade will be prepared to commence his teaching duties on Monday, the 17th of October, next. The Church authorities will write Mr. Joblin, telling him of this arrangement. / 24th

I shall be pleased if you will have Mr. Joblin prepare a report showing the attendance and days taught by him up to the period he gives up duties and forward same to the Department, through your office, in order that payment of any salary due him for his services as teacher can be made.

Your obedient servant,

A.D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Note - Dr. Manning in letter of Oct 13/27. File 22-1-1 states Joblin will start Dec 24/27 unless Reade will commence duties Dec 24/27 first

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Report of Gibson Day School from Oct 3rd to Oct. 21st inclusive 1927.

	Boy	Girl	Days Present
Edna Dewasha		1	12
Sarah Sahanatien		1	10½
Jane Decaire		1	14
Velma News		1	11½
Leona News		1	8½
Florence Sahanatien		1	11
Beatrice White		1	8
Mina Commandant		1	10
Dolly White		1	4
Phoebe Laforce		1	15
Dorothy Commandant		1	10
Elsie Laforce		1	10
Grace White		1	0
Henry Dewasha	1		15
Fred News	1		12
Archie Decaire	1		14
Edward News	1		6½
Wesley Sahanatien	1		9
Cecil Dewasha	1		15
Edgar Dewasha	1		15
Wilfred Decaire	1		15
Solomon Frank	1		9
David Decaire	1		13
Roy White	1		5
Antoni Dewasha	1		13
Gordon Sahanatien	1		9
John Laforce	1		5
Leonard Sahanatien	1		12
Bruce Commandant	1		6½
Wilson News	1		
	17	13	298½

This is a statement of attendance for October, to Friday evening, 21st inst.
Rev. F. J. Reed has arrived this evening and will take charge of the
Sunday work on the 23rd, and the Day School on the 24th.

Frank J. Johnson

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Parry Sound, Ont.

October 22,1927.

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The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
OCT 25 1927

Sir:

Enclosed please find statement of days worked in October by the Teacher,Mr.Frank J. Joblin, at Gibson Reserve.

Mrs.Reed and three children came from Bala with me to Gibson Reserve Friday afternoon.The Rev. F.J.Reed arrived by motor in the evening from Toronto.

During the Council Meeting,I introduced Mr.Reed to all members of the Band present and gave a talk to them on co-operating with Mr.Reed in his work.

I liked Reed and his wife and their three bonnie weans and Ishall do all I can to help him to be successful in his work.

Trusting this will be satisfactory,

Salaryfd Chwd

I have the honour to be ,

Sir:

Your obedient servant.

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/RD
Encs.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1927.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. F.J. Reed	GIBSON	$850 00	$255 00	

MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO
The Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to :-
Rev. C. E Manning, D. D.
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto, (2.) Ont.

REMARKS:—

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FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1928.

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Rev. F.J. Reed	GIBSON	$850	00			
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NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. F.J. Reed	GIBSON	$850 00	$85 00	MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO The Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to :- Rev. C. E Manning, D. D. 299 Queen Street West, Toronto, (2) Ont.

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(Original on # 22-1-1.)

T-1613.

Ottawa, December 28, 1928.

Sir:

I have your letters of the 24th and 26th instant, relative to the appointment of Miss Edith Fulcher as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, and enclosing her application in which she states her qualifications and experience.

The Department will approve of the appointment of Miss Fulcher, to begin duties when the school reopens after the present holidays. The salary allowed her will be at the rate of $85 per teaching month. Please inform Miss Fulcher accordingly and arrange with her to take up duties at the time mentioned. It is hoped that she will meet with every success in the work, and I shall be pleased if you will give her every assistance you can.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Edith Fulcher	GIBSON	$850 00		
	Advance		$ 85 00	

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Edith Fulcher	GIBSON	$850 00		
			$255 00	
	Less Advance		85 00	
	Bal. due		$170 00	

REMARKS:—

Miss Edith Fulcher appointed teacher with salary at the rate of $85 per teaching month. Began duties January 1st, 1929.

EXAMINED and found correct.

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22-1-3

Ottawa, March 23rd, 1929.

Sir,-

Under separate cover, you are being forwarded the March quarter salary cheques of the teachers of the day schools in your agency. Please see that the quarterly returns are prepared and forwarded promptly to the Department at the end of the quarter.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1929.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Edith Fulcher	GIBSON	$850 00	$255 00	

Draw cheque in favour of teacher and send to J. M. Daly, Esq., Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

REMARKS:—

EXAMINED and found correct.

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22-1-3
Original on 22-1-1

Ottawa, June 11th, 1929.

Sir,-

I have to inform you that, at the request of the authorities of the United Church of Canada, this Department has approved of the appointment of Rev. John A. Ward as teacher of the school on the Gibson Reserve for the next school year. Besides his work as teacher, he will also perform certain church duties. It is understood that he will take up his duties on the Gibson Reserve on or about July 1st, next, and will reopen the school after the summer holidays, on or about September 1st, next. The salary allowed him will be at the rate of $85 per teaching month. Mr. Ward and the church authorities have been informed accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. John A. Ward	GIBSON	$850 00	$85 00	

Note - In future this should be sent as follows:-

Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to;-
Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
269 Queen Street West.
Toronto, (2) Ont.

5/11/29

REMARKS:—

Rev. John A. Ward appointed teacher with salary at the rate of $85 per teaching month. Began duties September 1st, 1929.

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EXAMINED and found correct.

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Bala Ont Oct 31/29.

Gibson Reserve

Dear Sir!-

I recd a months check on Salary a few days ago which I do not quite understand. As I receive my salary from the church office at Toronto. I feel some mistake has been made. I am holding the check until further word from you.

I am yours Truly

John A. Ward.

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Ottawa, November 5th, 1929.

Reverend Sir,-

With reference to your letter of the 31st ultimo, I beg to say that the cheque for your September quarter salary should have been forwarded to the Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, Toronto. Please endorse the cheque which you have received and forward same to Rev. Robt. B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen St. W., Toronto. In future, your salary payments will be forwarded to him.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

Rev. J. A. Ward,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Bala, Ont.

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299 QUEEN ST. WEST
TORONTO 2, ONTARIO

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SECRETARY

REV. COLIN G. YOUNG, D.D.
ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 18 1929
RECORDS

November 15th,
1 9 2 9.

The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs,
O t t a w a, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Rev. John A. Ward, who is now the missionary teacher on the Gibson Reserve, Muskoka, has returned to this office the cheque of the Department for $85.00 in payment of his salary as teacher for the September quarter, as according to arrangement he has already been paid direct from here.

I am aware that the Department has been forwarding the quarterly cheque direct to the teacher of his school prior to the appointment of Mr. Ward. Would you be kind enough to have the cheques for this teacher sent to this office for the future, drawn payable to the Treasurer of The United Church of Canada.

Yours faithfully,

Colin G. Young

Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to:-
Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
299 Queen Street West
Toronto, (2) Ont.

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Rev. John A. Ward	GIBSON	$850	00			
				$255	00	

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299 Queen Street West.
Toronto, (2) Ont.

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Ottawa, December 12th, 1929.

Sir,-

With reference to your recent letter, I may say that the salary cheques of the teachers of the day schools in your agency, with the exception of that for Gibson, will be forwarded under separate cover.

The authorities of the United Church of Canada, under whose auspices the Gibson School is conducted, have requested that the salary cheque of the teacher be forwarded, in future, to their Treasurer in Toronto.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 19 30

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Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$850. 00	$255. 00	— Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to;- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.

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Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$850	00			
				$255	00	

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Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
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Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
[illegible] Queen Street West
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				$85	00	

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Mount Forest
Wellington County
Ont.
Nov. 12 - 1930

To.
Secretary of Public Schools on
Indian Reserves -
Ottawa - Ont.

Dear sir -

As I am applying for the superannuation allowance for public school teachers, and as it is necessary to have a certificate from each school in which I have taught shewing the length of time I taught - there. I am asking you to send to me such information as I require with dates of time when I started and when I finished. also state the salary paid each year; as some years was more than others -

Note. I received twice from the Missionary Board. Toronto fifty dollars: also one year there was

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ten dollars allowed to me to buy wood. This was the first year I taught. The Indian Agent Mr Logan told me of the ten dollars allowed me for wood.

I began to teach at Sahanalin Gibson Reserve. Muskoka after the summer holidays 1920 and left summer holidays 1923

Hoping to receive a reply at an early date and thanking you in advance.

I am, respectfully,
Mary Ann Black

Note
My full name is (Mary Ann)
not (Mary)

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Gibson

Mary Ann Black.

Sept 1/20 - June 30/21 = 600 00
Sept 1/21 - June 30/22 = 700 00
Sept 1/22 - June 30/23 = 700 00

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Ottawa, November 15th, 1930.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:-

This is to certify that Miss Mary Ann Black was employed as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School in the Parry Sound Indian Agency from September 1st, 1920, to June 30th, 1923.

During the academic year 1920-21, she was paid salary at the rate of $600 a year and, during the academic years 1921-22 and 1922-23, her yearly salary was $700.

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

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Ottawa, November 15th, 1930.

Madam,-

In reply to your letter of the 12th instant, I enclose statement with reference to your services as teacher at the Gibson Indian Day School.

Your obedient servant.

Russell T. Ferrier.

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Mary Ann Black,
Mount Forest,
Ont.

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Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$850 00	$255 00	Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Nelson D. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.

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Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$850	00	$255	00	

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Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
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Toronto, 2, Ont.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 19 31.

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Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$850 00	$255 00	Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.

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Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$850 00	$85 00	Make cheque payable to Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, and send to:- Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D., 299 Queen Street West. Toronto, (2) Ont.

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Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$850	00			
				$255	00	

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NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$850 00	$255 00	

Make cheque payable to
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and send to:-
Rev. Prescott E. Cochrane, D. D.,
[illegible] West.
[illegible], Ont.

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CHAIRMAN

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REV. KENNETH J. BEATON, B.A.
ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

April 28th,
1 9 3 2.

Mr. Russell T. Ferrier, M.A.,
Superintendent of Education,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Ferrier:

I have just received a letter from Mrs. Ward, wife of our missionary teacher at the Gibson Reserve near Bala, stating that for some time Mr. Ward has been confined to bed with rheumatism. She says that she has communicated with Dr. Daly and that he asked her to write to me. They have been supplying the school by engaging a senior pupil, but naturally some more definite arrangement must be made than that, especially at this time of the year.

I have decided to leave tomorrow morning for Parry Sound where I shall confer with Mr. Daly and then spend the week-end at Gibson. I shall report to you on my return. In the meantime would you kindly write me, stating if the Department has any definite regulation for meeting a case of sickness of this kind, and oblige,

Yours faithfully,

Arthur Barnes

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Ottawa, May 2, 1932.

Dear Mr. Barner:

I have your letter of the 28th ultimo, with reference to the illness of Mr. Ward, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. We will allow Mr. Ward sick leave for a few weeks, if necessary, and will, in addition, meet the cost of a suitable substitute. After you chat with Indian Agent Daly, I am sure you will have a substitute available. The amount of sick leave with pay will depend upon circumstances as they arise.

Yours very truly,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

R.T.F.

Rev. Arthur Barner,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen St. West,
Toronto 2, Ont.

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22-1-3.

Original on..22-1-1.

Ottawa, May 11, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 5th instant, relative to the illness of Reverend John A. Ward, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. In this connection I have to say the Department has received a communication from Rev. Arthur Barner, regarding arranging for a substitute teacher during the illness of Mr. Ward. We will reimburse Miss Velma News during the period she acts as substitute teacher, at the rate of $2.00 per teaching day. I would request that you inform the Department definitely as to the actual number of days taught by Miss News, in order that payment can be made her for this service at the above rate. It is hoped that Mr. Ward will recover from his illness at an early date and be able to again resume duties.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
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Note this return is received 23/6/32

EXTRACT from Inspector Johnson's Report on his visit to the GIBSON INDIAN DAY SCHOOL on June 2nd, 1932.

Original on File 22-1-6.

Date of Inspection:- June 2nd, 1932.

Name:- John Ward.

Health:- Sick at time of inspection.

Although Mr. Ward attempts fifth class work, I do not consider him capable of carrying on that work.

Velma News, a 17 year old Fifth Class pupil, was supplying since April 18th, at $2.00 a day, during Mr. Ward's illness.

There is a note on File 22-1-1, approved by Mr. Ferrier, that Rev. Mr. Ward will be allowed salary for two months when the June quarter return is received and Miss News salary from whatever date she began duties to June 30th, at the rate of $2.00 per day.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Velma Howe,

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-1 dated May 11, 1932.		
	Services teaching in Gibson Indian Day School, substituting during the illness of Mr. Ward, School Teacher.		
	52 days at $2.00 per day.	104.	00

Voucher in dup- Auth to pay

Substitute teacher during illness of Mr Ward from April 18 to June 30/32

8/7/32

57 days @ ½ a day

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M Daly
Agent

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ParrySound,Ont.
July 4, 1932.

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Ottawa,Ont.

In account with,

Velma News, Gibson Reserve.

Teaching in the Gibson Indian Day School, during the illness of Mr. Ward,

52 days teaching Gibson Indian Day School,
A $2.00 $104.00

ParrySound,Ont.
July 4, 1932.

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Ottawa,Ont.

In account with,

Velma News, Gibson Reserve.

Teaching in the Gibson Indian Day School, during the illness of Mr. Ward,

52 days teaching Gibson Indian Day School,
A $2.00 $104.00

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Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

.....July 5, 1932.....19.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to $ 104.00 *in favour*

of Velma News,

for Services teaching in Gibson Indian Day School, substituting during the illness of Mr. Ward School Teacher.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-1 *dated* May 11, 1932.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 19 32.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Velma News	GIBSON	$ 2 00 a day		
	52 days @ $2.00 a day		...$104 00	
	Send cheque to J. M. Daly, Esq., Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.			

REMARKS: --

22/260.

Owing to the illness of the regular teacher, Rev. J.A. Ward, Miss Velma News was engaged as substitute. She began duties on April 18th and taught until the end of the quarter, during which time the school was open 52 days. The above amount is, therefore, due her.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

I certify that the services specified in this account have been satisfactorily performed, that they were necessary in the interest of the public, and that the charges made are in accordance with contract or agreement authorized by .....
or, if not by contract, the charges are fair and just. No item in this account has been previously certified for payment. I recommend payment.

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11/7/32.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th. 1932.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$650 00		
			$170 00	
	Less 10%		17 00	
	Amount due		$153 00	

REMARKS: --

22/260.

Payment for April & May, 1932.

I certify that the services specified in this account have been satisfactorily performed, that they were necessary in the interest of the public, and that the charges made are in accordance with contract or agreement authorized by.....
or, if not by contract, the charges are fair and just. No item in this account has been previously certified by me for payment. I request that payment.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

11/7/32.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th. 19 32

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$850 00		
			$85 00	
	Less 10%		8 50	
	Amount due		$76 50	

Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to;-
Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
299 Queen Street West.
Toronto, (2) Ont.

Vote 201.
Agency 22/260.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1932.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$850 00		
			$255 00	
	Less 10%		25 50	
	Amount due		$229 50	

Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to;-
Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
299 Queen Street West.
Toronto, (2) Ont.

Vote 201.
Agency 22/260.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1933.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. J. A. Ward	GIBSON	$850 00		
			$255 00	
	Less 10%		25 50	
	Amount due		$229 50	

Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada
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Toronto, (2) Ont.

Vote 201.
Agency 22/260.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1933.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev.John A. Ward	GIBSON	$850 00		
			$255 00	
	Less 10%		25 50	
	Amount due		$229 50	

— Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to;-
Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
299 Queen Street West.
Toronto, (2) Ont.

Vote 186.
School 393.
Allot. 260.
E. R. 213.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30. 1933.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. John A. Ward	GIBSON	$850 00		
			$85 00	
		Less 10% -	8 50	
		Amt. due -	$76 50	

Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to;-
Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
299 Queen Street West.
Toronto, (2) Ont.

Vote 188.
School 393.
Allot. 260.
E. R. 778.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 19 33.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. John A. Ward	GIBSON	$650 00		
			$255 00	
	Less 10%		25 50	
	Amount due		$229 50	

Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to:-
Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
299 Queen Street West
Toronto. (2) Ont.

Vote 188.
School 393.
Allot. 260.
E.R. 1131.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st 19 34.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Rev. John A. Ward	GIBSON	$850 00		
			$255 00	
	Less 10%		25 50	
	Amount due		$229 50	

Make cheque payable to
Treasurer of the United Church of Canada,
and send to;-
Rev. Robert B. Cochrane, D. D.,
269 Queen Street West.
Toronto, (2) Ont.

Vote 188
School 393
Allot. 260
E.R. 1131.

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M. O'M.

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Ottawa, July 3rd, 1934.

Sir,-

The Department has received the resignation of Rev. J. A. Ward, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

On the nomination of the Board of Home Missions of the United Church of Canada, we are approving the appointment of Mrs. C. C. Somner as teacher of this school for the academic year 1934-35. She will be allowed salary at the rate of $850 a year. Please give her every possible assistance.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

Memo to Treasury Dept. re
#3 of Garden River R.C. Sch
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22-1-3

Hanesville R R #3. Ont.
Sept. 11/34

Indian dept.
Ottawa Ont.

Dear Sirs -

I am writing for information as to the number of cheques you paid me last spring to assist me w my book keeping-which has been misplaced.
I recd 8 cheques for April. May and June, also a cheque for 8 sent to me for March. as I am uncertain about this would you please let me know if you sent 3 or 4 cheques before the July holidays

I am Yours Truly
Rev. John A Ward

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22-1-3.

Ottawa, September 17, 1934.

Rev. Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 11th instant, I beg to say that, at the end of April, May and June last, the Department forwarded you direct a cheque for $85.

Your salary for the quarter ended March 31st was forwarded to the Treasurer of the United Church of Canada, Toronto.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. Sutherland,
Acting Supt. of Indian Education.

Rev. John A. Ward,
R.R. No. 3,
Thamesville, Ont.

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22-1-1

Ottawa,
July 29, 1943.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School
No. 393

The Department has received and accepted the resignation of the teacher, Mr. B.W. Anderson, effective July 1, 1943, and no further payment of salary should be made to him.

A cheque for the amount to his credit in the retirement fund should be issued in his favour and forwarded to S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Miss Davis

22-1-1

Ottawa,
November 6, 1945.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School
No. 393

The Department has appointed Mr. J.O. Harris as teacher of this school at a salary of $85.00 a teaching month, plus bonus, effective October 4, 1945. I enclose copy of letter of appointment and the other forms will be forwarded to you when received.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Miss Davis

22-1-1

Ottawa, May 4, 1945.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTAIIVE OF THE TREASURY.

Re: Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393.

Please note that Mr. J. O. Harris will give up duties at the above noted school effective July 1, 1945, and no further payment of salary should be made to him after that date.

for Deputy Minister.

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Ottawa, September 15, 1945.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY.

Re: Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393.

As you have previously been informed, Mr. J. O. Harris, who was in charge of this school last year, has been transferred to the French Bay Indian Day School.

To succeed him, we have appointed Mrs. Katherine W. Matteson, at a salary of $85.00 per teaching month, plus bonus. I attach copy of letter of appointment and also T.D.1 form and cost-of-living bonus form. Staff questionnaire will reach you shortly.

For Deputy Minister.

Encl.

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File: 22-1-1

Ottawa, 22nd January, 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393

Mr. Lawrence Whitehead has been appointed teacher of this school, effective January 14, 1946 at a salary of $100.00 a month, plus bonus.

I enclose copy of letter of appointment, T.D.I. form and Cost of Living Bonus form. The Staff Questionaire will reach you shortly.

for Deputy Minister.

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File: 22-1-1

Ottawa, 22nd January, 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393

Mr. Lawrence Whitehead has been appointed teacher of this school, effective January 14, 1946 at a salary of $100.00 a month, plus bonus.

I enclose copy of letter of appointment, T.D.I. form and Cost of Living Bonus form. The Staff Questionaire will reach you shortly.

for Deputy Minister.

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Ottawa, May 17, 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393.

Please note that Mr. Lawrence Whitehead, teacher of the above-named school, will give up duties, effective July 1, 1946, and no further payment of salary should be made to him after that date.

For Deputy Minister.

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22-1-1 (W.T. 1)

Ottawa, 14 September 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Gibson Indian Day School - No. 393

Mr. James E. Hummel has been appointed teacher of the above mentioned school at a salary of $125.00 a teaching month effective Sept. 1st, 1946. I attach Cost of Living Bonus Form from which it appears that he is single without dependents. The Staff Questionnaire will reach you shortly.

for Deputy Minister.

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22-1-1

Ottawa, May 17, 1946.

Dear Doctor Dorey:

With reference to your letter of the 13th instant, the Department approves the appointment of Mr. James E. Hummel as teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, effective September 1, 1946. Salary will be allowed him at the rate of $100.00 a teaching month, plus bonus.

Yours very truly,

For Deputy Minister.

Reverend George Dorey, D.D.,
Acting Secretary,
Board of Home Missions,
United Church of Canada,
299 Queen Street West,
Toronto 2B, Ontario.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

GIBSON DAY SCHOOL SALARIES

CROSS REFERENCE

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The Secretary, . . .
DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
OTTAWA, ONT.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 12 1898

SIR,—

On my recent visit to the Gibson Reserve Chief Decaire requested to be supplied with 1 doz window frames size 10 x 12 to replace the broken ones in the school house windows.

I therefore beg to recommend that I be authorized to purchase the glass which I think can be done at Burgess' store at Bala, 9 miles from the Reserve.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your obedient Servant
W B Macdonald
Indian Supt

ACCOUNTANT
MAR 12 1898
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Ottawa, 14th March, 1898.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 10th instant, I beg to inform you that you may purchase one dozen panes of glass , of the size stated, to replace the broken ones in the School house windows at the Gibson Reserve.

The account for the glass should be forwarded to the Department in the usual way for payment.

Your obedient servant.

A. M. Burgess

Assistant Secretary.

W.B. McLean, Esqr.,

Indian Supt.,

Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. 330.

OTTAWA, 30th May, 1899

Sir,

I have to inform you that Mr Public School Inspector Day in his report on the Gibson school states that there is some plaster off and that the closets are not in a good state of repair. I should be glad if you would have these defects remedied before th re-opening of the school after the summer holidays.

Mr Day also states that there is some dissatisfaction among the Indians in regard to the situation of the school house, and that some of them think that itcould be removed to another place. It might be well for you to inform such of the Indians as have that idea that the school house, being situated in the centre of the Reserve is most suitably placed and that it cannot be changed.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Asst. Secretary

W.B. Maclean, Esq.
Indian Supt.
Parry Sound, Ont.

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The Secretary . . .

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
OTTAWA, ONT.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFF.
JUN 10 1899

SIR,—

In reply to your favor of the 30th ultmo regarding some repairs required to be made at the Gibson Indian school, I write to say that I shall have the necessary repairs referred to completed before the re-opening of the school after the summer holidays.

In regard to the dissatisfaction of some the Gibson Indians as to the situation of their school, I write to say that I have already had some correspondence with Napoleon Commandant (who appears to be the leader of a certain faction of the Band who desire the removal of the school) on this subject, & I have pointed out to him, that the school is located at the most central part of the Reserve, on the corner of Lot 11. Con 5, & that I did not think the Department would consent to any change being made. I shall accordingly, as instructed in your favor of the 30th ultmo inform Commandant of your decision in the matter.

SCHOOLS.
JUN 12 1899

Your obedient Servant
W B Maclean
Indian Supt

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Sakamatoje P.O.
28th July 1899

W. B. Macleam, Indian Supt.
Parry Sound

Dear Sir

I have to acknowledge your letter of the 14th Inst, that Mr. Inspector Day on his visit to Gibson school, stating that the school is in a good state of repair. And in reply I have to inform you that all such needed, plastering, whitewashing, scrubbing, and that the closets are repaired by Peter Stock, as is recommended and the cost of $3.00 of these work Please recommend his wages as soon as your convenience.

Yours truly
Chief Francis Decaire

P.S.

Your letter of the 12th inst is to hand enclosing Cheque No 6440, and oblige

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. AUG 5 1899

The Department of Indian Affairs

To Peter Stock

DATE. 1899			AMOUNT.	
July	28	To repairs to Gibson School	$ 3	00

Chargeable to Gibson Band.
Chief's voucher attached
authorized by official letter
dated May 30th 1899. File 152195-5

O/C 123

Sent 8 Aug

I hereby certify that the articles have been received, the services performed, and that the prices are fair and just.

Parry Sound Aug 3/99

W B Maclean
Agent.

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OTTAWA,12th June,1900.

Sir,

I have to inform you that Mr Public School Inspector Day,in his last report on the Gibson school states that a door and lock should be put on the book cupboard for the better care of school material, that there are no latches on the closet doors and that putty and tack should be supplied for the windows. Be kind enough to have these matters attended to in time for the re-opening of school after the summer vacation.

Your obedient servant,

A. STEWART

Asst.Secretary

W.B.Maclean,Esq.

Indian Supt.

Parry Sound,

Ont.

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Sahamatton P.O.
24th Aug 1900

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Mr. W.B. Macleam, Indian Supt
Parry Sound

Dear Sir

Enclosed herein you will find the bill for the amount of school repairing as per reported by you last July, and ~~how~~ more than that we saw fit to paint the window sash which was never painted before. please draft this bill to the Indian Department for a payment in favor to Angus Drews. I hereby certify that all repairing is correct

Yours truly

Chief Francis Decaire

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Supplies for the Wartha School repairing

225899

20 Window panes @ 10		$2.00
12 lbs of paint @	10	1 20
3 gls of paint oil @	25	75
1 " " Varnish @	40	40
1 " " Turpentine @	35	35
pullo Locks, door hinges, screws		85
total 85 @		75
15 lbs putty @ 5	—	—
4½ days work for repairing @ $1.25		5.63
		$11.93

Angus Reno

(Not)

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Angus Rees.

DATE.			AMOUNT.
		Account of expenditure incurred in repairing Watha Indian School authorized by official letter dated June 12/1900. File No 152195-5	
1900			
Aug	24	To 20 window panes at .10	2 00
		12 lbs paint .10	1 20
		3 qts Oil .25	75
		1 " Varnish	40
		1 " Turpentine	35
		pulls, locks, hinges, screws	85
		15 lbs putty	75
		14½ days work repairing at 1.25	5 63
			11 93

Sept. Sept 13 Paid Wp

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Chargeable to Watha Band
Voucher Not attached

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Parry Sound Aug 31/1900

W B Maclean
Agent.

ACCOUNTANTS SEP 15 1900 SCHOOLS. BRANCH. SEP 6 1900

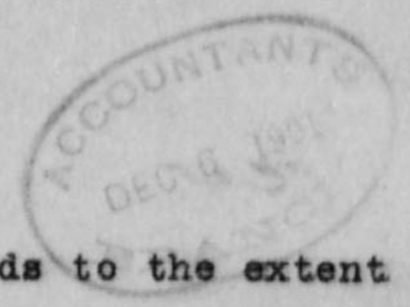
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Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA, 5th December, 1901.



Yes. Mr. Graham

ACCOUNTANT:-

Are there funds to the extent of $25 or $30 for a well for the new schoolhouse to be erected on the Gibson Reserve? The money to be voted for the building will not meet this expenditure.

A. W. S. Graham

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Ottawa,I7th December,I90I.

Rev.Sir:-

With reference to concluding paragraph of your letter of the 27th ultimo,I beg to say that the Department will consent to the expenditure of $25.00 or $50.00 for sinking a well on the premises on which the new school house for the Gibson Reserve is being erected.

Your obedient servant,

J.D.McLEAN

Secretary.

Rev.A.Sutherland,D.D.,
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Toronto,
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OTTAWA,11th July,1902

Sir,

I have to call your attention to the fact that in his report on the Gibson school,Mr Inspector Day states that the closets require repairs and that a door is off one of them. The Department would like you to see that these necessary repairs are made during the holidays.

Your obedient servant,

J.D.McLEAN

Secretary

W.B.Maclean,Esq.
Indian Supt.
Parry Sound,Ont.

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Sahanatien Post Office
Jan 31st 1903

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Dominion of Canada

W. B. Maclean. Indian Supt
Sir. In answer to yours of
the 15th inst requesting me
to send you an estimation
of the cost of buying,
teaming, oiling and
plumbing the basswood
required in repairing
the school house. So I
have concluded that it
would cost just $24.
twenty Fours dollars.
Yours truly
chief Louis Sahanatien

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Indian Agent's Office,

PARRY SOUND Feby 4th 1903

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The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Sir:-

Sometime ago I received a letter from Chief Louis Sahanachon of the Gibson Band stating that the walls of the school house at the Gibson Reserve were badly in need of repairs & asking if your Department would sanction the expenditure of a sufficient amount to cover the walls with basswood &c.

I replied to the Chiefs letter saying that before I could lay the matter before your Department he would require to furnish me with an estimate of the probable cost of the repairs. His letter which is herewith enclosed states that the cost will be $24.00. This price includes the cost of purchasing the basswood, teaming it to the Reserve putting it on the walls & Oiling & finishing.

On my last visit to the Gibson Reserve I examined the interior of the school house & found the walls in bad condition, the plaster having fallen off in several places. so that the Chief is justified in asking that repairs be made. The price mentioned in the Chiefs letter as the

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Indian Agent's Office,

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Estimated cost of making the repairs appears to me to be quite reasonable & I therefor beg to request you to sanction the expenditure if the Gibson Band have any funds at their credit for such expenditure.

Your obedient Servant

W.B. Maclean

Indian Supt.

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Please see letter under. Are Mere friends?

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Exd.

OTTAWA, 16th February, 1903

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant with reference to repairs required for the inside walls of the Gibson school; and in reply I beg to say that you may have the walls finished in basswood and oiled, the cost of which should not exceed the estimate given by Chief Louis Sahanatien, namely $24.00.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

W.B.Maclean, Esq.

Indian Supt.

Parry Sound, Ont:-

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. D. Shier Lumber Co

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1903				
May	26	To 800 ft 3/s Basswood at 26.00	20	80 ✓
		Freight to Bala	1	50 ✓
			$ 22	30 ✓

JWS

SCHOOLS JUN 22 1903

ACCOUNTANTS JUN 10 1903 BRANCH

Purchased for Gibson Indian School by authority of official letter dated Feby 16/1903 File No 152195 - 5

Chargeable to Gibson Band.
Voucher No 1 attached

Cheque No 800
$ 22 80
Sent 19/6/ 1903

Out of Due date 21/4

Recommended for payment
Accountant.
Approved. 16
D.S.G. for I.A.

JWS 1/16/03

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

PARRY SOUND. June 5/1903 W B Maclean
Agent.

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Bank of Montreal,

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Received *from* Dept. Indian Affairs

on account of Indian Funds

the sum of One hundred & forty nine 66/100 *Dollars,*

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

A G Smucans

Pro Manager.

Ent'd. M

BANK OF MONTREAL.

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OTTAWA, 20th July, 1903

Sir,

Mr Inspector Day in his report on the Gibson school states that the school building requires to be banked and that the closets need repairs. The Department would like you to have this work done during the holidays, and it would also like you to state what it would cost to build the woodshed which is needed.

Your obedient servant,

D. McLEAN

Secretary

W.B.Maclean, Esq,
Indian Supt.
Parry Sound, Ont:-

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Saltcoats
July 31st
1903

262491

Dear Sir

As the school house is finished in repairing and it is well done, we heartly thank the Department of what they had helped us, And leave to you we thankfully you gave interest attention to our regards,

Mr John Burgess Supply care the paint oil and nials for repairing the school house he will forwarded

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Please again
ex sept Our thanks
Remain
Yours Truly
Signed
Chief Louis Oskanonlin

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.W. Burgess 262491

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1903				
July	1	To 1 gal. B. Oil 50 Can 25	1	05 ✓
		4 lb finishing Nails		04 ✓
		6 " Nails		25 ✓
			$ 1	54 ✓

Exd.

Purchased for Gibson Indian School by authority of official letter dated July 16/1903 File No 152195-5 Chargeable to Gibson Band Voucher No 1 attached. also Chief Louis Sahanatois letter certifying to work being completed

Cheque No 2
$ 1.54
Sent 19/8 190

Out of Inc Vote 1903-04
Recommended for Payment
Approved. 38 Accountant.
D. S. G. of I. A.
J.W.S 8/9/03

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PARRY SOUND Augt 4/1903 W B Macleau
Agent.

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Indian Agent's Office,

PARRY SOUND. Augst 1903

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. AUG 22 1903

ACCOUNTANTS AUG26 1903 BRANCH.

SCHOOLS. AUG241903

Sir.

Replying to your letter of the above date I beg to say that as instructed therein I wrote to Chief Louis Sahanatchon of the Gibson Band requesting him to have the repairs to the school house & closets completed before the re-opening of the school.

I also requested the Chief to send me an estimate of what it will cost to build a woodshed at the school & he has written me stating it will cost as follows:

1000 ft	lumber		14.00
40 lbs	Shingles Nails & long Nails		
		at .5 per lb	2.00
2500	Shingles	at 1.50	3.75
hauling Lumber & Shingles from Bala to Reserve			4.00
Labor building Woodshed			5.00
			$28.75

Please advise me if you desire this work done so that I can instruct the Chief to proceed with it.

Your obedient Servant
W B Macleau
Indian Supt

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24. 8. 03

Dear Sir

Sir I to hereby
wood shed at the
Gibson School

Mr Brown

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OTTAWA, 27th August, 1903

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 20th instant I beg to say that the work of building a woodshed for the Gibson school may be proceeded with at once in accordance with the estimate given by you.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

W.B.Maclean, Esq.

Indian Supt.

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OTTAWA, 29th October, 1903

Sir,

Mr Inspector Day in his last report on the Gibson school states that the building requires to be banked and the Department would like you to have this work attended to at once. You may also purchase six window blinds for this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

W.B.Maclean, Esq.

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Indian Agent's Office,

Hxd.

PARRY SOUND Nov 3rd 1903

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Sir

Replying to your letter of the above date which refers to the repairs required at the Gibson Indian School I beg to say that these have just been completed & account for the expenditure incurred will be forwarded as soon as I receive it from Chief Louis Sahanahon.

I have as instructed authorized Chief Sahanahon to purchase six window blinds for the school.

Your obedient Servant
W. B. Macdean
Indian Supt.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. NOV 18 1903

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Chief Louis Sahanathon

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Fund.		
		Account for repairing re at Gibson Indian School		
1903 Oct	21st	To making time banking up school house & repairing closets 3 days at 1.25	3	75 ✓
		" hire of horse & wagon hauling earth to bank up school house 1½ days at 1.50	2	25 ✓
		" 2 barn door hinges for closets " .30		60 ✓
		" Nails		35 ✓
			$ 6	95 ✓

Cheque No. 247
$ 6.95
Sent 4/12/03

JWJ

Chargeable to Gibson Band
authorized by official letter dated July 20/1903 File No 152195 - 5
Chiefs letter certifying to work having been done attached.
Account No 1 attached

Out of Treaty Note 182

ACCOUNTANTS NOV 19 1903 BRANCH.

Recommended for Payment
Accountant.
Approved
D.S.G.I.A.

JWJ

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

PARRY SOUND Nov 17/1903

W B Macleau
Agent.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Chief Louis Sahanation

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 21 1903

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1903				
Nov	28	To 6 Window Blinds at .50	3	00 ✓
		" putting up "		50 ✓
			$ 3	50 ✓

ACCOUNTANTS
DEC 21 1903
BRANCH.

Purchased for Gibson Indian School
By authority of official letter dated
Oct 29/1903 File No 15/195-5
Chargeable to Gibson Band.
Chiefs letter certifying to work
having been completed, attached

Out of Due Note 1824

Jno 22/12/03

Recommended for Payment
Accountant.
Approved. 80
D. S. C. of I. A.

Cheque No. 317
$ 3.50
Sent 31/12 1903

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

PARRY SOUND. Dec 18/1903

W B Maclean
Agent.

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Sahanatien 1903

December 18th

To H. M. G. 267241

Dear Sir,—

I beg to write to you on account of our Agent W. B. Mclean has not answered of which I have forward to him our petition at the council of our band on Oct, and also he had request me to repair the school house to banket up. So I hired a man to do the work and when he finished he charge me $ 6.95 cts, I at once forward to W. B. Mclean as he permited me to charge him all And this man needs very much to recier his payment. Name Jr Mrd Isaiah Sahanatien

He also request me to get the blinds for the school house so I got them it cost me $ 3.00 dollars of the blinds and being hang up 5-0 cts in all $ 3.5-0 cts This he promit me to charge him also. I had forward the bill to him But he never answered me yet

In another case we request him to issued the Location Tickets of which will be two years on Jan. 1904 of which he never issued yet, There are four in number it passed the Resolution of our Councils I have forward them all to him and they never recieved their Location Tickets yet. He has delayed ever since to issued the Location Tickets. I want an answer immediatly

Your Faithful Servant
Chief Louis Sahanatien

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OTTAWA, 24th February, 1904

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 18th Dec. last with reference to an account for $3.50 and also one for $6.95 for repairs to the Gibson school, I beg to say that the same have been paid and any delay in receipt of the amount was owing to negligence on the part of the Agent.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

Louis Sahanatien,
Gibson Reserve,
Sahanatien, P.O.
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Sakaweaes
March 11th
1904

Dept

Sir 269799

In Reply to your
letter of 24th February requesting
the account for $15 & also for
the $5 for repairs of the school
house Im receipt on January
last except of Thanks Do E 19 5-
5-

Remain
Your obedient
Servant
Chief Louis Sakawatien

SCHOOLS.
MAR 16 1904

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 15 1904

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 26 1904

Indian Agent's Office,

PARRY SOUND Sept 24th 1904

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

SCHOOLS
SEP 27 1904

Sir:

When visiting the Gibson Indian Reserve on August 25th last I inspected the school teachers house & found it very much in need of painting

The School teacher, Thomas Whitebeans, requested me to ask your Department to furnish sufficient paint to paint the exterior of the building as well as the woodwork inside the house & he would perform the work of painting the entire house free of charge.

I estimate that 10 gallons of paint costing $1.00 per gallon & two brushes costing 50 cents each or a total of $11.00 will cover the cost of material required, and as the woodwork is very much in need of painting to preserve it in good order I trust you will kindly authorize this expenditure.

Your obedient Servant
W B Maclean
Indian Supt

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Ex'd.

OTTAWA, September 28th---1904.

Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 24th. instant I beg to say that you are hereby authorized to expend the sum of $11.00 in the purchase of 10 gallons of paint and two brushes for the purpose of painting the addition to the Gibson School/house occupied as a teacher's residence.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

W.B.Maclean, Esqr.,
Indian Sup't.,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.W. Burgess

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1904				
Sept	1	To 1000 ft Culls Hemlock at 8.00 M		8 00
		" 2500 Pine Shingles " .90 "		2 25
		" 100 ft Good Hemlock " 13.00 "		1 30
		" 153 " " " 2x14-10 " 13.00 "		1 99
		" 160 " " " 2x6-16 " 13.00 "		2 08
		Freight on above from Gravenhurst to Bala per Muskoka Navigation Co		4 25
				19 87
Aug	30	1 Pr Hinges & Screws .25 1 Door Latch & Screws .12		37
		15 lb Shingle Nails .60 15 lb 3" Nails .60		1 20
		5 " 6" Nails		20
				21 64
		Purchased to build Woodshed at Gibson Indian School. by authority official letter dated Aug 27/1903. No 152.195-5 Chargeable to Gibson Band. Vouchers No 1 & 2 attached.		

Duplicate

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

PARRY SOUND Oct 6/1904 W.B. Maclean

Agent.

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Bala Sept 21 - 04.

Mr W B. MacLean.

Parry Sound.

Dear Sir.

In reply to your letter of the 21st would say.

All freights has to be prepaid before shipment. The Rathbun Coy paid these freights items & placed them on their bill I enclose their bill to me and as you will see. I am only making $3 on the transaction without allowing for postage or trouble. neither did I charge for wharfage on Bala wharf. I can not therefore very well take off $1.00 per M Jack. Lumber is

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high I'll admit but. it can not be got cheaper in Lauzenhurst or Bracebridge. Mr Jack - I paid $13.00 for the same class lumber shortly before. I have already paid this $19.04 to the Rathbun Coy as they all seem to want their money - Trusting you will find this satisfactory please return Rathbuns bill & oblige

Yours Truly

J B Burgess

Bala

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Albert Commandant

DATE. 1904			AMOUNT.	
Sept	16	To hauling lumber from Dala to Sahantken School House 1½ loads at 2.00	$	3 00

Work performed by authority of official letter dated Aug 27/1903
File No 152 195. 5
Chargeable to Gibson Band.
Chief certificate attached.

Duplicate

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

PARRY SOUND. Oct 6/1904 W B Maclean

Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Jeremiah Sahanatchon

DATE. 1904			AMOUNT.	
Sept.	16	To hauling lumber from Balatt Sahanatchen School house 2 trips at 2.00	$ 4	00 ✓

Work performed by authority of official letter dated Aug 27/1903 File No 15 v 195-5
Chargeable to Gibson Band.
Chief's certificate attached.

Duplicate

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PARRY SOUND. Oct 6/1904

W.D. Maclean
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Chief & Commandant

DATE. 1904			AMOUNT.	
Sept	23	To amount paid Charles White for labor building woodshed at Gibson Indian School house	$ 5	00

By authority of official letter dated Aug 27/1903. No 152195-5
Chargeable to Gibson Band.

Chiefs letter certifying as to work being completed attached.

Duplicate

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

PARRY SOUND. Oct 6/1904

W B Maclean
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Sahanatien

Sept 23 1904

Mr Maclean

Dear Sir

yours of the 17th
received in which you tell
me to agree with a man
for the building of the woodshed
Some was asking me ten dollars
but I found Mr Chas White
to do the work for five dollars
and because he is going away
on the 26th I gave him the
work without your approval.
does it matter? I let you know
the work is well done. you
will fine the bills in this
letter. Some cull lumber
is left. I forgot to buy a
lock for the woodshed

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it will cost about 35 cent
will you let me buy one.
yours truly

Chief Nap Commandant

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To David Sahanahen

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1904				
Sept	13	To hauling 6 pcs square timber for use in building Woodshed at Gibson School house	$	100

By authority of official letter dated Aug 29/1903. No 152195-5

Chargeable to Gibson Band.

Account No 1 attached.

Duplicate

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W B Maclean
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 8 1904

Indian Agent's Office,

PARRY SOUND Oct 6th 1904

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
~~Ottawa~~

Sir

I beg to enclose you herewith accounts in duplicate for expenditure incurred in building a woodshed at the Gibson Indian School house amounting to $34.64

This work was authorized to be done August 29th 1903. File No 152195.5 as per your letter of that date but it was only during last month that I succeeded in having the work commenced & completed.

ACCOUNTANTS
OCT 8 1904
BRANCH

Your obedient Servant
W. B. Maclean

Cheque No 174-5
$ .....
Sent 14/10 1904

6-7-4

Oct & Dec Vote 49

Recommended for Payment
Approved. 176 Accountant
D. S. G. (C.I.A.)

J.W.S.

Receive cheques in favour of agent & obtain receipt from teacher & forward for the Chief's signature. Indian Supt should be informed when cheque is received & how disposed of.

J.W.S.

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D.I.A.

Ottawa ,14th October, 1904.

With Cheques.

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 6th instant, I enclose herewith cheques Nos 174,175,176,177 and 178 in payment of the accounts which you forwarded for expenditure incurred in connection with the erection of a wood shed at the Gibson Indian School house.

With reference to the Voucher in favour of Chief N. Commandant (paid by cheque for $5.00), I have to inform you that you should obtain a receipt from Chas. White for the payment made to him by the Chief before you hand the cheque to the latter.

Your obedient servant.

Asst. Secretary.

W.B.McLean,Esqr,
Indian Supt,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 7 1904
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Vote 4 1904

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Geo W. Ecclestone

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DATE.		Ex'd.	AMOUNT.	
		Account for Material purchased to paint Teachers house at Gibson Reserve. By authority offical letter Sept 28/1904 No 15v195.5		
1904				
Oct	28	To 5 gals. 1460 Paint at 1.65	8	25 ✓
		1 " 1461 "	1	65
		2 Brushes .50	1	00
		1½ gals R L Oil .60		90
		1.2 " Can		20
			12	00
		Freight prepaid		25
			$ 12	25

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Vote 1904

Recommended for Payment Accountant. 189

Approved. D.S.G. of I.A.

Just 8/11/04

Chargeable to Gibson Band.
Account No 1 attached

ACCOUNTANTS
NOV 7 1904
BRANCH

Cheque No. 280
$.....
Sent 16/11 1904

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

PARRY SOUND. Nov 14/1904 W B Macleau
Agent.

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Saharatien
April 7— 1905

Mr Maclean
Dear Sir

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I send you
the bill for you to Pay
Mr John Burgess for
the use of the School
house.

yours truly
Chief Nap Commendant

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Exh

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. W. Burgess

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1904				
Dec	14	To 9 lb Galv. Iron at .08		72
	20	13 " " " .08	1	04
			$ 1	76

Note 1994

Recommended for Payment

Accountant.

Approved.

D. G. of I. A.

Jws 19/4/05

Cheque No. 764

Sent Apr 26 1905

Purchased without usual authority for store in Gibson Indian School. Chargeable ~~to Gibson Band~~.

Account No 1 attached

ACCOUNTANTS APR 17 1905 BRANCH

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

PARRY SOUND April 14/1905 W B Maclean

Agent.

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Copy of Council Minutes.

Sahanalien.

January 28th 1907.

" At the Council held on the 17th of Jainuary. the following
" Resolution was moved by. Nap. Commondant. Seconded
" by John White. asking for 500. feet lumber for the
" School room Seats " Viz- 250. feet 1. inch. thick
" 250 feet 2 inches thick- 1. Box. of Screws at 1. inch long
" 1. Box Screws at 1½ inches long.

" Moved by Joseph White. Seconded
" by Peter Stock and Carried. That a Location Ticket be
" given. Jeremiah. Sahanation for Lot 15. Con. 9. on the
" Watha. Reservation.

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on.....

Chief. Nap. Commondant.
Watha. Reservation.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 8 1907

Indian Office

MEMO Schools

St. Parry Sound

Feby. 6th 1907

Sir.

I Enclose you the minutes and proceedings of the Watha Band Council. The request for lumber for repairing Seats and the Porch are in need of fixing"

I would recommend that Jeremiah Sahanalion be granted his Location Ticket. He has the appearance of an intelligent young man.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant.

D. J. Macdonell

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

EXTRACT on 3990.9.

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D.Z.C.

Ottawa, February 12, 1907.

Sir,-

With reference to the resolution of the Gibson council asking authority to Purchase lumber to make seats for the school house, passed at the meeting held on the 28th ult. and forwarded with your letter of the 6th inst., I beg to say that the same is approved, and the quantities of material mentioned therein may be purchased.

Your obedient Servant,

G.D. McLEAN

Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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At "Sahanalien. P. O

" Oct. 11" 1907

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OCT 1907

MEMO

See Letter

" At the Council held October 7th by the Indians
" of "Watha Band the following resolution
" was moved by Joseph Dennie. Seconded
" by Joseph White. and Carried -
" The Band Wants to repair the School House
" they want some tar paper and 3 inch nails
" lumber to make a new porch. and Putty.
" to fix the windows.

" Signed.
" Hap. Commandant
" Chief.

SCHOOLS BRANCH. OCT 18 1907

Note- Agents covering letter dated 14th Oct 1907 on 39909

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DXH

Ottawa, October 18, 1907.

Sir,-

Referring to the resolution of the Watha council in regard to repairs to their school-house, I beg to say that before the Department can consider the same it will require a detailed estimate of the material needed to make the repairs and also the cost.

With reference to the Department's furnishing wood for this school, it considers that the least the Indians could do would be to provide the necessary fuel.

EXTRACT ON

Your obedient Servant,

J. STEWART

Asst. Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Watha Band

1907 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
Dec.	3rd	J. J. W. Burgess. 1 notice Lock for Sahanatien School		65 —

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D. McDonald

Agent.

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Bala. Ont. Dec. 3rd 1907

Mr. D. F. Macdonald.

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pro. Napoleon. Commandant — Watha Band

in Account

With. J. W. Burgess.

1907				
Dec.	3rd	To Mortise Lock for Sahanatien School.	$ 0	65

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Agent

St. Parry Sound

December 18th 1907

MEMO

ACCOUNTANTS
DEC 20 1907

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sir

I herewith transmit you a Account from I. W. Burgess Merchant Bala. Ont for one Mortice Lock for the Sahanatien School house door.

I assumed the responsibility of authorizing the Chief to purchase a Lock and have it put on the door. As the Lock that was on was broken and useless. and a Lock was necessary.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant.

D. McDonald

Note 208
Recommended for Payment
Approved. 644
D. S. G. I. A.
Accompanied

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Ck. Secy. Dec. 24th

Jas 23/12/07

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(Copy) "Sahanalien

April 20" 1905

MEMO

" Mc Macdonald
" Parry Sound.

" Dear Sir. At the Council held on
" April 6th it was. moved by Napoleon Commandant
" Seconded by Frank Decaire. Jr that the school house
" be repaired. as follows.
" 1. A new porch to be built. (2) outside re boarded
" 3. the plastered Walls. to be boarded. like the ceiling
" 4. New desks to be made from the Old forms.)
" The work has been given to Mr Chas White and
" the work is to be commenced as soon as the School Closes
" at mid summer. if you will see that the lumber
" Will be ready at that time.

Yours respectfully.
" Nap. Commandant.
Chief

Note. This work is really necessary. The porch is in a delapitated. Condition. The plaster. is Crumbling and falling of the Side Walls. Thin Wainscoating. Covering. would. be much better than plaster. The desks. are in poor shape." The Chief has a saw mill. and. might. be able to provide the lumber.

D. J. Macdonald

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Indian Office 328841

At Parry Sound

April 20th 1905

MEMO

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottowa.

Sir.

I beg leave to Enclose you a copy of a resolution passed in Council held by the Chief and members of the Watha Band. —

I may say I have Written to the Chief for further information, on this matter. I have asked for the quantity and Cost of the lumber required for Porch and Covering the Out-side of the School house. Also the quantity and price for the inside Wainscoating, as well as the Price they have promised for the work. When Completed When I receive the Chiefs reply to my request I will transmit the same to you.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant

D. J. Macdonald
Supt.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. APR 22 1905

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH APR 28 1905

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH APR 27 1905

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Parry Sound Indian Agency

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Shawanaken
June 8th 1908

Mr Macdonald.

Dear Sir

I send you the Price of the Lumber + Paint the out side Price

I would like to get an answer soon for all the resolution. of Land you

yours truly
Nap Commandant

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Estimation out
May 19th 1908

2000 ft California siding at 4 inch face
10 Pieces 10 X 1½ X 4 ft long
10 " 14 X ⅞ X 4 " "
10 " 12 X ⅞ X 4 " "
10 " 15 X ⅞ X 4 " "
500 ft Ceiling ⅜ Stiff bass wood with graining.
4 corner boards 4 X 1 X 12
4 " " 5 X 1 X 12
5 Pcs 5 X 1 X 13 ft long
124 " 6 X 1 X 12 "
6 " 8 X 1 X 12 "
30 " 2 X 4 X 12 "
5 " 2 X 6 X 10 "
3 " 6 X 6 X 10 "
160 ft 2 inch Planks
2 Planks 2 X 12. 12. ft

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1500 Shingles
130 ft one inch lumber
16 Pins 7/8 quater round
Shingles nails 5 lbs
Clap boarding Nail 15 lbs
3 inch Nails 10 lbs
5 " Spicks 5 "
finishing Nail 5 "
1 gallon oline Green Paint
2 " White lead
2 " linset oil
1 qt turpintine
6 lbs Putty
1 brush 2½ in
1 " 3 "
1 " 1 "
The Shingles & the rough lumber
& the Planks will be got here
Sawed by this mill Napoleon
Commandant

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you buy the lumber at Gravenhurst - and let me know when it will be bought and its Charles White will take the job for two dollars a day and he will draw all from Bala to the School for three dollars a day

yours truly
Nap Commandant

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Parry S[illegible] Indian Agency.

Indian Office

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At Parry Sound

329460

June 15" 1908

MEMO

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Schools

Sir.

I beg leave to Enclose you a Copy a resolution passed by the Council of the Watha Band. on the 6th of April. in Connection to repairs required on the Sahanalien School house. for some unknown reason the minutes of the Council didnot reach this Office till a few days. ago.

I may state that the repairs are really needed. the plaster on the Walls of the School. room is nearly all gone. by clapboarding the outside. and. lining the inner Walls. with. Wainscoat. the School house. Can be made. a neat. Warm. and. Comfortable House.

Hoping. this proposition. Will meet your approval.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant

D. Fullarton

Supt.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUN 18 1908

INDIAN AFFAIRS JUN 19 1908 SCHOOLS B...

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Parry Sound Indian Agency.

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Indian Office

" St Sahanatien

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" June 1st 1906

MEMO

" Mr D. F. Macdonald,

Parry Sound. Ont

" Dear Sir. A. resolution. was passed in the
" Watha Council on April 6th to the Effect
" that the Doctors Account for Medicine
" and treatment. and all relief accounts be
" paid by the Indian Department. out of
" the Indian Fund. It was moved by
" Chief Commandant. Seconded by Charles White
" and unanimously Carried. As regards the lumber
" for the School House. I shall have to go to
" Gravenhurst to find out the Cost of the lumber
" I shall then forward the account to you

" Respectfully

" Chief Commandant

EXTRACT on 25.4.14.12

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Ottawa, June 30, 1908.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 15th inst. I beg to say that, before authorizing the repairs needed at the Gibson school, the Department will require to be furnished with an estimate of the cost of material, labour, cartage, etc.,

As soon as this is received you will be further advised. This matter should be attended to at once so that the work may be done during the summer holidays.

Your obedient Servant,

D. McLEAN

Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Washa's Band
Gibson Reserve.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mickle Dyment & Son

1908 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
June	4th	Chief Kap Commandant To lumber for Sahanatien School repairs	$ 12	00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D McDonald

Agent.

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ESTIMATE

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Mickle, Dyment & Son

Gravenhurst, Ont., June 4 1908

M Chief Nap Coiumandant

Bala

We hereby agree to supply the undermentioned material for the sum of

One Hundred and twenty two DOLLARS

$129 00 F. O. B. Bala

NOTICE—This estimate is furnished for immediate acceptance only and is subject to corrections for clerical errors and errors of omission. It should be distinctly understood that **nothing whatever not specifically listed** will be furnished under this estimate.

DELIVERIES	NO. PIECES	DESCRIPTION		
		1×4 No 2 Pine cal Sdg		200ft ✓
	10	1½ × 10-4ft Pine D 25	5-0	
	10	1×14-4 " " "	46	
	10	1×12-4 " " "	40	
	10	1×15-4 " " "	50	186 ✓
		3/8 Basswood ceiling		500 ✓
	4	1×4 -12 Pine D1S	16	
	4	1×6- 12 " "	20	
	5	1×5 -14 " "	29	
	126	1×6- 12 " "	756	
	6	1×8- 12 " "	48	869 ✓
	30	2×4 - 12 Hemlock	240	
	5	2×6- 10 "	50	
	3	6×6- 10 "	90	
	8	2×10- 12 "	160	
	2	2×12- 12 "	48	588 ✓
		1½ in No 1 Pine Shingles		
		1" Pine D1S		130 ✓
		192 Lin feet 1/4 Round		

EXTENSIONS AND QUANTITIES Checked by

Mickle, Dyment & Son

PER Leigh

The C-C Loose Leaf System 38582—37 The Copeland-Chatterson Co., Limited, Sole Makers, Toronto

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Parry Sound Indian Agency. At Parry Sound

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. JUN 19 1908

June 16 1908

MEMO

The Secretary.
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Act

Sir.

I beg leave to Enclose you the account rendered by Mickle Dyment & Son for Lumber for repairs to the Sahanatian School house on the "Gibson Reserve.

I may say that the School house needs repairing very much.

Hoping this may meet your approval.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant.

D. J. Macdonald
Supt

Vote 221
Recommended for Payment
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Ottawa, June 23, 1908.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th inst., inclosing an account from Hiokle, pyment & Son for lumber to make repairs to the Gibson school-house.

In reply I beg to say that this account will be held till the information asked for in official letter of the 20th inst. is received. No purchases of this class should be made until the authority of the Department is given.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound Indian Agency.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195/5
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

June 25th 1908

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 30 1908

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 1908

Sir,—

Referring to your letter of June 23rd instant

No. 152195/5.

I beg leave to acknowledge the reciept of your letter. re. Mickle's Dyment & Son's

I may say that. last "November when I was at. Sahanatian School. house. holding a meeting for the nomination for. Chief. The band. was fully represented twenty Eight. out of thirty four. members. of adults were present. And the principal discussion. at the meeting was the matter of repairs to School. which is in a great need of repairs more so. than any School building in the Agency. I advised the Chief to. get a practical Carpenter. to make an Estimate of the quantities of lumber and Shingles required. as well as nails and paint. And. have a resolution passed in their regular Council after. he. had found out. What. the Cost of the material. and. Labor. would amount. to." And that I had no doubt. but The Department. would Consider their request." The first intimation I recieved. was. a memo. giving the number of pieces. of lumber. required and. in a few days Messrs. Mickle, Dyment & Sons account followed. I may say. that. their prices. are. more moderate than what the same material can be purchased in the town of Parry. Sound.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound Indian Agency.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Sir,-

Referring to your letter of _____

No......

The Band was unanimous in having the School house repaired. as they use it as a place of worship. The Church they have. is in a delapidated Condition. and not worth repairing. and. they cannot agree upon a new site. And. the present School. site. is their Choice of meeting. on Cusines. it is their. Hall. School. place of worship. and Lodge room. for the Forester Order.

I cannot Explain. why the Chief. acted as he has. by purchasing the material required without. your advice.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant.

D. J. Macdonald
Supt.

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DSM

Ottawa, June 30, 1908.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th inst., with reference to the purchase of lumber and other supplies for the repairs needed to the Gibson school-house.

In reply I beg to say that you may authorize the necessary repairs as outlined in Chief Commandant's letter addressed to you on April 30, last, to be carried out during the summer holidays. It is presumed that Mr. Charles White will do this work, and the Department will expectyou to see that it is completed in a satisfactory and workmanlike manner and as expeditiously as possible.

The account from Hickle, Dyment & Son will be dealt with in due course.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account 332199

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Watha Band
Gibson Reserve

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Est: I. F. Young. Gravenhurst

1908 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
July	20	To Material for Sahanalien School. House repairs	$10.	29

Indian Office

Ux N. Commandant Bala- at Gravenhurst

MEMO Aug 11th 1908

1908. In acct with. Est I. F. Young Sahanalien School House

July	20	To 5. bbs 2½ Nails 25c 10 bbs. 3. Nails 40c		65 ✓
"	"	" 15. 1. " 60c. 5. 5. " 20c		80 ✓
"	"	" 5. 2½ Gem Nails. 25c 1. gal Olive Green $2.00	2	25 ✓
"	"	" 2. Gals W. Paint 4.00 1. gal. Oil. R Can 1.00	5	00 ✓
"	"	" 1. qrt turps 35c. 6 bbs putty 24c		59 ✓
"	"	" 1. brush 25. 1. brush. 50. freight 25.	1	00 ✓
			$10	29 ✓

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D. J. Macdonald
Agent.

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At Parry Sound Indian Agency

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MEMO

Acct

332190 August 14th 1908

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

HXO

Sir.

I beg leave to inclose the Account for material required for Repairs on the "Sahanatien School House at" The Gibson Reserve Which is submitted to your approval.

I am Sir.

Your Obedient Servant.
D. J. Macdonald
Supt.

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Recommended for Payment
Approved. J.H.
Accountant.
D.S.G. of I.A.

Date 22/8/08

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No. of Account 332900

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Watha 1 Band
Gibson Reserve

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To E. B. Sutton. Bala. Falls

1906. DATE.			AMOUNT.	
Aug	1st	To Wharfage on. School Lumber	$1.	00

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. Fullarton Macdonald
Agent.

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STATEMENT

Parry Sound T... Agency Chippewa Falls Aug 31 1908

M[illegible]son Township Reserve

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In a/c With E. B. Sullon. Dr.

TERMS

1908						
Aug	1	Wharfage on School Lumber			$1.	00

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Parry Sound Indian Agency.

ACCOUNTANT'S OFFICE SEP 5 1908

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS SEP 1908

Sept. 2 1908

MEMO

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sir

I beg leave to inclose you. Mr. Sutton's account for Wharfage. for lumber. for the Sahanalien School house.
Gibson Reserve.

Hoping the same may meet your approval.

I am Sir your obedient
Servant.

D. J. Macdonald
Supt.

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333420 Sahanatien Ont.,

September.7th.1908.

Dear Sir,

Gibson School.

The Revd.C.W.Watch,Methodist Chairman,has urged upon us the necessity of separating the school closets,so as to have one for boys and one for girls.

The little swamp measuring 70 + 63 feet,on the west side of the school, is unhealthy,and damp for the children when playing or crossing it to the closets.It needs filling in with about 2ft. of soil,and then this piece of land would make an excellent playground.

About 5 gallons of oil and some paint are neded to paint the school; this is necessary to protect the new woodwork.

Will you kindly urge upon the Department the necessity of these works being attended to.

I remain,dear Sir,
yours very truly

Chief Watha Band.

D.F.Macdonald Esqre.
Indian Superintendent.
Parry Sound. Ont.,

Nap. Commandant

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At Parry Sound Indian Agency.

MEMO

333420 Sept. 15th 1905

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. SEP 19 1905

ACCOUNTANTS SEP 19 1905 BRANCH

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The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sir

Solicitor 25 Oct 14 02

I beg leave to in close you. two letters from Chief Commandant. Gibson Reserve. I may say that. I have written the. Chief. Asking him to have. a Council meeting of the Band. to pass. resolutions to the requests made by him.

I further. informed him. that. I thought. if the Indians would turn out make a bee. they could in the Basin in the rock they call a swamp. Owing to the Expenditures in repairing the School. house. Relief Supplies. and Medical. treatment. they could easily. do the trifling job. of filling the depression in the rock. I would recommend the Closets. be seperated. as asked for. that. the oil and paint be secured to finish the work on the School house

I am Sir your Obedient - Servant
D. J. Macdonald
Supt

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Hx'd.

Ottawa, September 18, 1900.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th inst., inclosing a communication addressed to you by Chief Commandant, of the Gibson band, with reference to certain requirements at the school on the reserve.

In reply I beg to say that the Department agrees with you that the Indians should draw the filling needed to improve the Play ground. You may purchase the oil and paint to finish the work on the school-house.

With regard to the closets the Department would like to have an estimate of the cost of providing separate buildings, and whether the proposal is to build only one now one.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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NOV 4 1908

At Parry Sound Indian Agency.

Oct 31st 1908

MEMO

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sir

I beg to in close you the Indian Trust funds. Collection for the month of October.

The returns made by Mickle Dyment & Son. was owing to the quality of the material delivered. being not up to the quality ordered.

Hoping this will meet your approval.

I am Sir your obedient Servant

W. J. Macdonald
Supt

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BANK OF MONTREAL.

No. 40.

$16.78

Duplicate, for Department.

335805

Bank of Montreal. OTTAWA. NOV 3 1908 190

Received *from* H. J. Macdonald.

on account of Indian Funds

the sum of Sixteen 78 *Dollars*

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate.

J. R. Ragg

Pro Manager.

Ent'd A.D.M.D.

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No. of Account 8-23615 221 4

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Watha Band
Gibson Reserve

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Daniel Commandant

1908 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
Oct.	9th	To 4. days work painting the School house at $1.50 per day	$6	00.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D. J. Macdonald
Agent.

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STATEMENT

Saskatoon Nov 10th 1908

M Wa[illegible]tha Band 336415

Gibson Reserve

In a/c With Daniel Commandant Dr.

TERMS

1908						
Oct	9	To 4. days Work painting the School house at One dollar and a half per day.			$6.	00

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Indian Office

Parry Sound Indian Agency.

Nov 17th 1908

MEMO

336415

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 19 1908

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sir.

I beg to inclose you Daniel Commandant's account for work on the Sahanatien School-house.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant
D. J. Macdonald
Supt

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Recommended for Payment
Approved 28
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No. of Account Vote 221 4

INDIAN TRUST FUND. Watha Band Gibson Reserve

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Albert Commandant

1908 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
Oct	9th	To 4 days work painting the School house at $1.50 per day	$6.	00 ✓

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

W. J. Macdonald

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STATEMENT

Sahanalien Nov. 10th 1908

M U[redacted]ta. Band. 336482

Gibson Reserve

In a/c With Albert Commandant Dr.

TERMS

1908						
Oct	9th	To. 4 days work painting the School house at One dollar and a half per day			$6.	00

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At Parry Sound Indian Agency. NOV 19 1908

Nov. 17th 1908

MEMO

acct General 336482

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa. Ont.

ACCOUNTANTS NOV 21 1908 BRANCH

Sir

I beg to enclose you Albert Commandant account for work on the Sahanalien School house.

I am Sir your obedient
Servant.
D. Macdonald
Supt.

H/

Note 22/

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Accountant.
Approved.
D.S.G. of I.A.

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Ottawa, 30th November, 1908.

Sir,-

The Department is in receipt of your letter of the 17th instant and the communication therewith forwarded from Chief Commandant, in which he states that payment has not yet been received for repairing the school house, and that the money is required,—and in reply I have to request that you will kindly state to what repairs the Chief refers. If his account has been forwarded you should state the date upon which it was sent in.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

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Encl.

D.F.Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Supt.,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Parry Sound Indian Agency

November 26. 1905

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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REGISTRY

Sir

I beg to inclose you Chief Napoleon Commandants account for work done in repairs on the Sahanalien School house. Gibson Reserve Which is submitted to your approval.

I am Sir
your Obedient
Servant.
D. J. Macdonald
Supt.

Re Agent Macdonald's report on the above account for new work done on the Sahanalien School house. Gibson Reserve

Please state date on which the work was executed. The expenditure seems very large for the work proposed. $260.19. Be pleased to attend to the matter as the Department does not desire to pay Indians more than is absolutely necessary for such work.

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Ottawa, 7th December, 1908.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 26th ultimo, I re-enclose herewith the account which you forwarded from Chief Napoleon Commandant for work done in connection with repairs to the Sahanatien School-house on the Gibson Reserve in order that you may make a report in regard thereto. You should show on the account the dates upon which the men worked. I may say that the expenditure of $360.19 in this connection appears to the Department to be very large. Be good enough to give this matter prompt attention as the Department does not wish to keep the Indians out of whatever money is due them for work performed

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

D.F.Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Supt.,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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December 2nd 1908

Mr Frank Pedley

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir

Please let me
know what keeps the
money so long from coming
the men that worked at the
School house are in a hurry
to receive their money
it is a long time now since
I send the Bill.
Please let me know soon
as you can
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Ottawa, 9th December, 1908.

Chief,-

With reference to your letter of the 2nd instant in regard to your account for work done in connection with repairs to the Sahanatien School-house on the Gibson Reserve, I have to inform you that the account in question has been returned to Indian Superintendent Macdonald in order that it may be properly rendered. When it is received here again in satisfactory form the matter of payment will receive prompt attention. I may add that it has been pointed out to Mr. Macdonald that the expenditure appears to the Department to be very large.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Chief Napoleon Commandant,

Sahanatien, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound Indian Agency.

December 5th 1908

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 15-2195-5
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 9 1908

Ref.: Your Letter November 30th 1908 No. 15-2195-5

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH
DEC 11 1908

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter re Chief Commandants account. On the 7th of October I recieved a Letter dated Oct. 5th with the accounts for School house repairs — Some of the accounts he had paid himself. and had sent no Recipts.

He had Mrs Laforce's Relief supply. Account mixed in with the School repair Expenses. I returned the Whole thing back to him. for adjustment. and proper form. — I Supose. that owing to but one mail a week to "Sahanalien P. O. — the time seemed long for those that worked and were wailing for their pay. —— As soon as I recieved the accounts from the Chief I mailed them to your address. — Nov. 26. - 08. ——

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 14 1908

I am Sir your Obedient Servant.

D. J. Macdonald
Supt.

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No. of Account 5019

INDIAN TRUST FUND. Watha Band

Forks 1214

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Samuel Commanuant

1908 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
August	31	To 7 days work gathering Stones for Schoolhouse foundation	$10.	50

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I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D. Fullarton Macdonald

Agent.

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Sahanatien, Aug 31 1905

M Wotta. Band.

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Gibson Reserve

In a/c With Samuel. Commandant. Dr.

TERMS						
Aug	31	½. ½. days work at $1.50 per day gathering Stones for the School house foundation			$10	50

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No. of Account 336019

INDIAN TRUST FUND. Watha Paul

Dole 2214

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Isaac Mewes

1908 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
August	31st	To 5. days work. repairing School house)	$7.	50

10.50

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D. McDonald

Agent.

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Sahanatien Aug 31st 1908

M Wa[illegible]ha Band.

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Gibson Reserve

In a/c With Isaac Newes Dr.

TERMS

Aug	31					
		10. 5. days work at				
		$1.50 per day				
		preparing mortar				
		attending the Mason				
		and gathering Stones			$7.	50
						✓

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No. of Account 336019

INDIAN TRUST FUND. Watha Band

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Napoleon Commandant. 2214

1908 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
Sept.	5th	To Lumber. Shingles Nails. Lime. Zinc. Hinges. Bolts. door latches	$56.	90 ✓
August	31st	To 8½ days work at School house	12	75 ✓
"	24	To payment for 4 days work to Wm McClenchy. Stone mason	12	00 ✓
"	24	To payment for 4 days work to Wm Spencer. Stone mason	12	00 ✓
			$92	65 ✓

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D. McDonald

Agent.

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Saskatoon Sept 5th 1908

M. Walsh Band.

Gibson Reserve

In a/c With Napoleon Commandant Dr.

TERMS 1908

August	5.	To 669. ft rough Hemlock lumber "				
		" 130. feet Scantling.				
		" 174 " 2.X.8. lumber				
		" 24. " 2.X12. Pine lumber				
		997. feet B.M.			$18.	00 ✓
		To. 9500. Shingles at 3.50 per M.			28.	50 ?
		" 45 lbs. 3 inch. nails 5c. per lb.			2	25 ✓
		" 30 " Shingle nails at 5c per lb			1	50 ✓
		" Zinc. for. floor.			1	00 ✓
		" 11. doz Stove Bolts - 1½			1	10 ✓
		" 5½ " " " 2½				55 ✓
		" 1. pair of hinges				25 ✓
		" 1 door Latch				25 ✓
		" 2 Barrells Lime			2	50 ✓
					$55.	90
						✓

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Time, Week ending August 22nd 1908

NAMES	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	Total Time	Rate	Amount
Wm McClenchy				1	1	1	1	4	$3.	$12 00
Wm Spencer				1	1	1	1	4.	$3	$12 00.

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Time, Week ending August 22nd 1908

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Wm McClenay				1	1	1	1	4	$3.	$12 00
Wm Spencer				1	1	1	1	4.	$3	$12 00.

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Sahanalien. August 24 1908

M[illegible]tha Band.

Gibson Reserve.

In a/c With Napoleon Commandant. Dr.

TERMS						
Aug	24.	To 4. day. work. by Wm Mc Clenchy. Stone mason. work On. School House Foundation at $3.00 per. day			$12.	00

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W. A. McClinchey

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Napoleon Commandant
$12 00/100 for 4 dys work at
school house at $3 per day.
building stone foundation

W. A. McClinchey

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Sahanalian Aug 24th 1908

M Watts Bance.

Gibson Reserve

In a/c With Napoleon Commandant Dr.

TERMS

Aug	24	To 4. days work by Wm Spencer a Stone mason work on School house foundation at $3.00 per day			$12.	00

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Wm Spencer

Received from
Napoleon Commandant-
$12 00 for 4 days work at-
School house at $3 per day
building stone foundation

Wm Spencer

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Time Week ending Aug 31st 1908

NAMES	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	Total Time	Rate	Amount
Nap. Commandant		1	1	1	1	1	1			
		½	1	1				8½	$1.50	$12.75

dates

August 24.
" 25.
" 26.
" 27.
" 28.
" 29"
" 30.
" 31."

dates of days worked

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Sahanalien Aug 31st 1908

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Gibson. Reserve

In a/c With Napoleon. Commandant Dr.

TERMS

Aug	31st					
		1/2. 8 1/2 days. work at $1.50.				
		per. day.				
		Repairing Water Closets.				
		building porch. RC		$	12.	75.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Watha 1 Band
Vote 4

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Albert Commandant 221

1908 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
Sept	4th	To 2½ days with Team at School house repair Work.	$7.	50

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I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D. J. Macdonald

Agent.

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Sahanatien Sept. 4 1908

M. Watha. Band

Gibson Reserve

In a/c With Albert Commaneau — Dr.

TERMS

Sept	4th	To — 2½ days Work. With Team. at the School house Repairing Work at $3.00 per day			$7.	50

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Walha Band

The Department of Indian Affairs

1908

To Daniel. Commandant

Sept	4th	To 8 days at $1.50 per day	$12.	00

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I hereby Certify that this Voucher is Correct, that the material has been supplied. the work performed and the Charges are fair and just also that the Expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just Charge against the Government of Canada.

D. McDonald
Superintendent

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M Watha Band.

Gibson Reserve

In a/c With Daniel. Commandant— Dr.

TERMS

Sept	4"					
		To. 8 days work at				
		$1.50 per day				
		gathering Stones				
		for the School foundation				
		and. Shingling the				
		Schoolhouse roof.			$12.	00

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No. of Account 338019

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Watha Band

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Charles White. Dole 221 4

1908 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
Sept	4.	To 6½ days work. with Horse Team working repair work On the Sahanatien School house	$19.	50
Sept.	4th	To 31. days work. Carpentering in repairing the Schoolhouse	62	00
		10 5-24		
			$81	50

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D. J. Macdonald

Agent.

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Sahanatien Sept 4th 1908

M Watha Band

Gibson, Reserve

In a/c With Charles White Dr.

TERMS						
Sept	4					
		To. 31. days work				
		Carpentering and				
		repairing the				
		School House at				
		$2.00 per day			$62.	00

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STATEMENT

Saskatoon Sept 4th 1908

M Watha Bane

Gibson Reserve 8019

In a/c With Charles White. Dr.

TERMS

Sept-	4"					
		To 6½ days work				
		with Team. at $3.00 per day				
		Work. for School house				
		repairs			$19.	50

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

December 22nd 1908

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195-5
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

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Jas 7/1/09

Asst Sec.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. DEC 24 1908 ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH

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Sir,—

Referring to your letter of Nov. 30th 1908

No. 152195—5.

I beg to inclose you the accounts for labor and materials at repairing the Sahanatien School House, Watha Band. The School house has been thoroughly repaired a Stone foundation, & Shingled. the outside Clapboarded and painted. a new Porch and doors. The inside has been sheeted with mat matched Wainscoating, and painted. The Closets haves been removed from their Site and Separated some distance Apart. I may say the work has been well done in every respect. And the School house stands at Second no. Country School house in the District of Muskoka.

I checked the Chief's Time Book in connection with persons Employed at the work. Hoping this will meet your Approval

I am Sir your Obedient Servant.

W. J. Macdonald
Supt.

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The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND. Watha Band.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Milton Pearce 338681

1908 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
Dec	19	To 1 Alarm Clock for School house	$1.	75
		" 1. Comb. 15. Cup 15. 1. Basin. 35.		75
		" 1. Mirror 30 2. yds. Towling 35. 2. ivory Soap 10		75.
			$3	25

By authority Letter 152195/44
October 23rd 1908.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D J Macdonald
Agent.

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Dec 29 1908

Mr D. J. McDonald

Parry Sound

In Account with Milton Pearce

338681

Parry Sound

Terms

To	Goods sent to Te Wahto Band Gibson Reserve Muskoka Address to Chief Napoleon Commanneaut as follows:			
1	Alarm Clock for School House		1	75
1	Comb 25 1 Cup 15 1 Basin 35			75
1	Mirror 30 2 yds Sateen 95 2 way 10			75
				$ 3.25

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Indian Office 68681

At Parry Sound Indian Agency

January 7 1909

MEMO.

Ex a.

The Secretary.
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sir.

I beg to inclose you Mr. M. Pearce's account for material supplied to Sahanatien School. Watha Band Gibson Reserve. I purchased the material, by authority Letter No — 152195/44. October 23. 1908. —

I am Sir your Obedient Servant.

D. J. Macdonald
Supt.

Note 221

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Recommended for Payment

Approved. H.S.—

I. C. I. A.

Jan 13/1/09

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Watha Band
Gibson Reserve

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Milton Pearce.

1909 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
January	13	To 1. Pail. 35- 4. Blinds 2.40 Sahantan School.	$2.	75.
			339451	

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D Fullarton

Agent.

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Mr D. L. McDonald

Parry Sound 339451 Vote

In Account with Nelson Pearce

Terms

Parry Harbour 22 4

To	Goods shipped to Napoleon Commandant Gibson Penne Bala Ont			
To	1 Pair 35 4 Rabbits 240			28 2.75

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At Parry Sound Indian Agency.

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January 21st 1909

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The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
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ACCOUNTANTS JAN 25 1909 BRANCH

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JAN 23 1909

I beg to enclose you. Milton Pearce's Account for a Water Pail and 4 Window blinds for Sahanatien School. Watha Band. Gibson Reserve

I am Sir your obedient Servant.

D. J. Macdonald
Supt.

Date 22/1
Recommended for Payment
Accountant.
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Indian Office 15-21955-5

At Parry Sound

March 20th 1909

MEMO. Acct 342112

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 23 1909

ACCOUNTANTS
MAR 25 1909
BRANCH

Refer to Supt's Diary for Explanation J.D.J.

Sir.

I beg leave to Enlose you the "Globe Printing Co's Account for advertising for a Teacher for the Watha Indian School. Gibson Reserve.

Hoping the Same will meet your approval.

I am Sir your obedient Servant.

D. Jellacdonald
Supt.

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Ottawa, 25th March, 1909.

Sir,-

I have the honour to enclose herewith for taxation an account, amounting to $1.24, from The Globe Printing Co. for advertising done for this Department.

A clipping of the advertisement is attached to the account.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

The King's Printer,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND. No. of Account 36112 Watha Band.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Globe Printing Co.

1909 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....		
March.	16	To account rendered, advertising for Teacher for Watha Indian School.	$1	24

Acte 221/14
Recommended for Payment
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Approved.

1300
OR sent April 6th

GLOBE PRINTER
MAR 26 1909
AUDIT BRANCH.

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D. J. Macdonald
Agent.

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Toronto March 16th 1909

M. W. & Co. Indian School

Mr. D. F. Macdonald 342112

In a/c With Globe Printing Co Dr.

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1909					
March	16	To account rendered advertising for Teacher for Watha Indian School		$1.	24

Correct at contract rates
E. H. Parmelee, K.P.M.C.A.
PER ..... A.C.

TEACHER WANTED — PROTESTANT female; for the Watha Indian School, Gibson Reserve, Muskoka; salary $300; duties commencing at once. Apply to D. F. Macdonald, Indian Superintendent, Parry Sound.

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Parry Sound.

347547 June 23rd 1909.

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Plan

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sir.

Please have blue print supplied. Vaughan A. C.

I am in receipt of a letter from Chief Commandant Watha. Band. Gibson Reserve" asking to have new Closets. (W.C.s) for the Indian School on his Reserve. I may say that when I was at the School last April the Chief and some other members of the Band to the Existing " W.C.s) they are a twin building with a defective Board partition seperating the Closets. I was astonished at Mr Kendall's negligence in not reporting the facts to authorities in Charge of this School.

I hope the Department will consent to building seperate Closets and one a distance apart.

hoping this will meet your approval.

I am Sir your obedient Servant

D. J. Macdonald
Supt

Funds
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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
JUN 30 1909
ARCHITECT.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 26 1909

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Ottawa July 2.09.

Mr Benson.

Blue print plan of dry earth closet is attached hereto for the use of the Watha Band as requested by xx you.

Architect.

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Ottawa, July 5, 1909.

Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 23rd ult. I beg to say that I am sending you under separate cover a blue print of a plan for a dry-earth closet.

You will be good enough to obtain an estimate of the cost of erecting two of these closets at the Gibson school, with screened approaches, and forward the same to the Department, when further instructions will be given you.

Your obedient Servant,

Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

August 17th 1909

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195-5
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 21 1909

ACCOUNTANT'S

Sir,— 350521

Referring to your letter of July 5th 1909

No.

I beg to inclose you Chief Napoleon, Commandants account for the Construction of two Water Closets for the Sahanalien School house, Gibson Reserve

I may say that. When I was at the School house On the 12th of July. I gave the Chief. the Blue Print Plans of the Closets. recieved. from your Department.

The Chief brought me around and Showed me the progress. he had. made on the work. which. was well advanced.

The Closets are about 75 feet apart with. a boarded Screen between. them. they are Clapboarded. Shingled. and finished with dressed lumber. and painted outside. and. well Ventalated. and. the workmanship and material. is first Class.

Hoping this will meet your approval

I am Sir your Obedient Servant

D. J. Macdonald
Indian Dept

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Return Receipt
Left company's office
Gone in office
Time Envelope
Answered

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Ottawa 23rd August, 1909.

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 19th instant, I return herewith the account which you submitted from Chief Napoleon Commandant for carpentry work performed at the Sahanatien School. The Department considers the total charge altogether too high. Similar work has been done at other places for $30.00 less. The time occupied by the Chief upon the work seemingly was longer than necessary. It is thought that a payment of $30.00 would amply compensate for work and materials.

Your obedient servant.

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esqr,

Indian Supt.,

Parry Sound, Ont.

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Sahanatien. ont.

Sept 13th 1909

Mr D. H. Macdonald.

Parry Sound. ont.

Dear Sir

I received your letter in which the Department finds the two Water Closets to dear I can not ask less than that if they dont want to pay me the Price I Charge let me know right away. so I will take them away before the school starts. we have no school teacher yet to teach school and its geting late. yours truly

Nap Commandant

Chief

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Pays Sound

Sept. 15th 1909

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195/5
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

ACCOUNTANT SEP 24 1909 351318 ACCOUNTANT SEP

Sir,—

Referring to your letter of August 23rd 1909.

No.

I beg to inclose you. Chief Napoleon. Commandants reply. to your letter. in reference to his account for the. W. C. S. in Connection with the Watha. Band Indian School. —

I have written. the Chief informing him. that. I am sending his letter. to you to be dealt. with. on its merits.

I am Sir your obedient Servant

D. J. Macdonald
Indian Supt.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Ottawa, 22nd September, 1909.

Sir,-

Referring to your letter of the 15th instant and previous correspondence regarding the outbuildings which Chief Napoleon Commandant erected in connection with the Watha Indian School, I beg to say that you should submit a voucher in favor of the Chief for the amount which you consider fair remuneration for the work done and materials supplied. If the Chief is not satisfied with the rate of payment decided upon, he will be at liberty to remove the buildings; and others can be erected.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN
Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Watha Band

Vote 114

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To D. J. Macdonald

1909 DATE.			ACCOUNT 353382	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152195/4		
October	18	To Cash for Material for the Watha Indian School	$1.	20

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D. J. Macdonald

Agent.

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Parry Sound Indian Agency.

Oct. 18" 1909

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Recieved from Indian Superintendent D. T. Macdonald
the sum of "One Dollar & 20 Cts. for
School material for the Watha School

8. Scribblers	40.
1. Box S. pens	25
10. Lead pencils	30
5. Bottles of ink	25
	$1. 20.

M. C. Forrest.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

Ev'd

October. 23rd 1908

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195-/4
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 27 1908
RECEIVED

Sir,— 35552.

Referring to your letter of July 8th /08.

No. 320

I beg to inclose you a receipt from Miss Maude C. Forrest late teacher of the Watha Indian School. — On receipt of your letter. I wrote Miss Forrest for a statement account of the material she purchased for the School. when she took Charge. — Owing to her leaving her home at Woodville, Ontario, and going to Elk Lake New Ontario. I heard nothing further from her until some days ago. When she wrote me from Ottawa informing me that she had left the Hospital. where she had been treated for typhoid. She sent me the Statement and the prices in the form of a memo. — I made out the statement in duplicate, and sent her the money. — Knowing that the Material she purchased was actually necessary for the School at the time she took Charge. as her predecessor Miss Robbins, had been ill for some time with diptheria and a Miss Dewasha a member of the Band, had been running the school in a slipshod manner. and, no doubt but Miss Forrest required the material in order to get to work as soon as she took charge

I am Sir, your obedient servant
D J Macdonald
Indian Supt

The Secretary
Department of Indian
Affairs.
Ottawa.

Date 24/2
Filed for Parry S.
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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND. Watha Band

Vote 24 2

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Napoleon Commandant

354398

1909 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152 195/5 Sept 22/09		
August	16"	To Labor and Material for Two Classr. Indian School Watha Reserve	$40	40

Exd

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D J Macdonald

Agent.

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1909 The Department of Indian Affairs
To Napoleon Commandant—

354398

Aug	16	To	732 feet Lumber		$ 9	00
		"	1. thousand and a quarter Shingles		3	40
		"	42 lbs nails		2	10
		"	Work 13 days Carpenting		16	00
		"	½ gal Paint oil		1	10
		"	2 Bolts 20c. 2 thumb latches 20c			40
		"	20 lbs paint		1	90
		"	time buying material. 1. day		1	50
		"	3½ days painting Closets		5	00
					$ 40.	40

Exd

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

November 12 1909

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 15 1909

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 15-2195-5-
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

354398

Sir,—

Referring to your letter of 22nd September 1909

No.

I beg to inclose you Chief Commandants. account with Vouchers for labor and material for two Closets for the Indian School Gibson Reserve.

I may say the Chief has Consented to accept $40.00 as payment.

Hoping this will meet your approval.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant

D. McDonald
Indian Supt

Vote
Recommended

Ck sent 17/11/09

ck sent 19 Nov.

1909

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Sahanatien
Nov 23rd 1909

W. [redacted]

Please let me know if you are going to pay me
The water closet at the School-
house. Amount $ 4.00

Your truly
Chief Napoleon Commandant

Inform
cheque was sent
on

JWS

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 25 1909
Ans.

E.V.C.

ACCOUNTANTS
NOV 27 1909
BRANCH

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Ex'd

Ottawa, 27th November, 1909.

Chief,-

In reply to your letter of the 23rd instant, I have to inform you that on the 19th instant, the Department sent Wagant Macdonald a cheque for $40.40 in payment of your account for labor and material for two closets in connection with the Indian School on the Watha Reserve.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean.

Secretary.

Chief Napoleon Commandant,

Sahanatien, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Watha Band.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Milton Peard 744

1909 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152195-/4		
Dec	9th			
		To 2. Locks for Gibson Indian School Cupboard	1	00

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I Hereby Certify that this voucher is co
and the charges are fair and just ; also that the ex
the same is a fair and just charge against the Gov

supplied, the work performed
imately and that each item of

D Macdonald

Agent.

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PARRY HARBOR, Dec 9 1909

M. D. J. McDonald

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

24th December 1909

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 15-2195-4
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

ACCOUNTANTS BRANCH DEC 25 1909

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS DEC 27 1909

Ref.: Your Letter Dated 9th December 1909 No.

EXD

Sir,

356416

I beg to inclose you

Mr Milton Pearce's account

for Locks for Cupboards in the

Gibson Indian School.

I am Sir your Obedient servant

D. J. Macdonald
Indian Supt.

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Date 24 Dec 1909

Rec'd 1873

J.W.J. 29/12/09

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Ck sent Jan 1st 10

The Secretary

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

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Extract from teacher's report on the Gibson school for the year ending March 31st, 1910.

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There is no well.

Mary L. Yarwood,
Teacher,
Sahanatien, Ont.

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Ottawa, April 9, 1910.

Madam,

Referring to your report on the Gibson school for the past year, in which you say that there is no well, I have to ask you to be good enough to state where water is now obtained and at what distance from the school.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

Mrs. Mary L. Yarwood,
Teacher,
Sahanatien, Ont.

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Sole

Bala Ont. Apr. 20th 1910

15-2195-5

W. D. Finnean (Secretary)
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

363012

Ex'd

Dear Sir

Your letter of April 9th No. 15-2195/5- asking where we obtain water for Gibson School, received, In reply would say we get water from well on adjoining farm, distance about fifteen or twenty rods, I think this arrangement is very satisfactory at present.

Your obedient Servant

Mary J. Garwood

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No. of Account 371285

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Watha Band
Vote 25-8

The Department of Indian Affairs, Parry Sound Indian Agency.

To W. S. McKinley

1910 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 15-2195 / 4		
Sept	24	To 1. Water pail 35c 1. Dipper 20c		55 —
		" 12 Coat hooks $1.05 6. glass 30c	1	35
		" 1. Broom. 50c Stove iron 50c	1	00
		Freight Charges		38 —
			$ 3	28

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D. Fullarton Macdonald

Agent.

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M. Indian Agency

Parry Sound Indian Agency,

For Chief Commanda

IN ACCOUNT WITH Gibson Reserve

W. S. McKINLEY

DEALER IN

HARDWARE, STOVES, TINWARE AND PLUMBERS' SUPPLIES

57128

ACCOUNTS RENDERED MONTHLY

TELEPHONE 95

Sept 24	To 1 waterpail 35	1 dipper 20	55
	" 12 coathooks 1.08	6 glass 30	138
	" 1 Broom 50	1 Stove Iron 50	100
	" Freight Charges		35
			328

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Indian Office

At Parry Sound Indian Agency

7th October. 1910

MEMO.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 10 1910

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH
OCT 21 1910

Acct

D.X.H

371285

The Secretary.
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Sir.

I beg to inclose W. S. McKinley's account for material for the Sahaustien Indian School.

Hoping the same will meet your approval.

I am Sir your obedient Servant.

D. J. Macdonald
Indian Supt.

Vote 258
Recommended for Payment
Approved.
D. C. of I. A.
Jno. J. 11/10/10

Cert Del: 17 Oct

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Bay of Sound Indian Sup't
Wathaw't Band
Vote 258

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Napoleon Commandant Cy.

1910 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152195 J. Sept 14/10		
October	26	To Express Charges. Pail. dipper. Coal Hooks & Broom		30
Sept	26	" Blacksmith repairs on Stove.		35 -
	"	" taking Stove to Bala for repairs		50
	"	" 1. damper for Stove		15 -
	"	" 6. glass 10. X 12		48
	"	" 5. lbs putty		25 -
	"	" 1½ days work at $2.00 per day	$3.	00
June	22	" 1. Broom		45 -
	"	" 1. Scrub. Brush		10
			$5.	55

The foregoing material was for the use of the Indian School. Gibson Reserve. and Commandants time for glazing and Other repairs

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

N. J. Macdonald

Agent.

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Parry Sound Indian Sup't'cy.

At _____

MEMO.

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Sahanalion

Oct. 25th 1910

Watha Band.

To Napoleon Commandant.

To.	Blacksmith repairing stove		$0.	35
"	taking stove to Bala			50
"	1. Stove damper			15
"	6. glass 10 x 12			48
"	5 lbs Putty.			25
"	labor 1 1/2 days at $2.00 per day		3.	00
June 22	"	1. Broom		45
	"	1. Scrub brush.		10
			$ 5.	28

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Parry Sound Indian Sup't'cy.

Indian Office

At Bala

Sept 26th 1910

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372864

Mr. N. Commandant.

To Dominion Express Company.

To freight on 1. Pail. 1. Broom. Coal Hooks &c $- 30

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Mr. [redacted] Commandant did
the following work in Gibson School-house
viz:-
1/ Repaired stove & put damper in pipe
2/ Put fresh putty around 12 panes in 6 windows
3/ Put up 1 doz. Cloth Hooks
4/ Put new lock on cupboard door.

Also furnished the following articles
viz:-
½ lbs. Putty
6 panes Glass

I have inspected work and
find it very satisfactory

M. L. Garwood (Teacher)
Gibson School

Oct. 24th 1910

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Indian Office

At Parry Sound Indian Sup't Ont.

3rd November 1910

MEMO.

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EX'D.

The Secretary.
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

377864

Sir.

I beg to inclose you. Napoleon Commandant's account. for. labour. and. material for the Gibson Indian School.
When. I was on the reserve last October I instructed. the Cheif to glaze all the windows and. place. the Stove pipes. in a safe. and permanent position as well as the Stove.
Hoping. this will meet. your approval
I am Sir your Obedient. Servant.

D. McDonald
Indian Supt.

15-5-55

Note 2-5-8

Recommended for payment.

Approved.

L.S.C.

Inst. 7/11/10

Encl. Acc. & Plan

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Sakamatien (Ont.
Dec. 2, 1910.

Lt. H. McDonald,
Parry Sound, Ont.
Crown Agent.-

I thought I would write a very few lines to you about the school-house. You attend to it; I am supposed to scrub the floor four times in a years; but the way they soil the floor I have to scrub more than four times a year. You know the Foresters have their meetings there and it is a pity the way they dirty the floor. They should try to settle this some way. Please attend to this. and please answer me soon. Yours truly
Antoine Herbeska

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Indian Office

At Parry Sound

374459 6th December 1910

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 9 1910

The Secretary.
Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

Sir.

I beg to inclose you a letter from the Caretaker of the Indian School on the Gibson Reserve. This School being under the Care of the Methodist Missionary Society. and the Methodists of the Band. I think the School room is used as a Lodge room. by the Order of Foresters. the Orangemen. and as a Council Chamber.

I have no doubt after a nights meeting. the School room. next morning Will present a filthy appearance. and Condition. I think if the Chief would be reminded of the Caretaker's Complaint he might suppress. the nuisance.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant.

D. J. Macdonald
Indian Supt

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Ottawa, December 12, 1910.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant enclosing a complaint from the caretaker of the Gibson school in regard to the condition in which it was left after meetings which are held there.

In reply I beg to say that the Department would like you to obtain a list of the lodges, etc., occupying the school-room and the nights of their meetings. If the use of this building for this purpose is to be continued it will be necessary for each of the societies using it to hold their meetings on Friday night and make proper provision for the cleaning of the school th next day. It is not reasonable to expect the caretaker to do this extra work without any remuneration. Be good enough to obtain this information at your earliest convenience.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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"Sahanatien

January 9th 1911.

D. F. Macdonald
" Parry Sound. "

376591

" Dear Sir.

" Recieved your. advising me
" to see the Chief about the School. I am
" Sorry to say that the Chief was not able to
" settle the trouble. the Council we had of the.
" Band would not hear anything about it.
" The I. O. F. hold their meeting last Saturday
" Of every month. and they are very dirty.
" the young men Chew tobacco and smoke
" right in the School room. and so is the
" Council meetings and Occassionally they
" make tea parties. and burn lots of wood.
" I dont mind about this Extra work if
" I was compensated for my Extra work. besides
" they do some damage to the building. for instance
" This last Christmas. Mr. F. Decaire's Son broke the
" door handle of the Wood shed. because it was locked
" and let in his team it looks like a Stable and
" it smells very bad now. and last New Years
" Eve the young men nearly smashed the front
" door in please settle this matter.

" your truly
" Mr. A. Dewasha.
Caretaker.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

16th January 1911

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195-5.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir 376591

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 18 1911

Sir,—

Referring to your letter of 12th December /10

No.

I beg leave to inclose you a Copy of a letter. from. Antoine Dewasha. Care taker of "Watha Indian School.

I do not think that Mr. Dewasha. is Exagerating any. about the tobacco Chewing and the messing up of the floor. I have seen. such. at the Council meetings held. in the School. room. If the Chief would would promptly warn the young-men against such rowdyism he would be performing part of his duties as an Exemplary man. and. warn that a repetition of such Conduct. that a visit before the local magistrate may relieve them. of their money in the form. of stiff fine.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant.

D Jellacomonds
Indian Supt

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs

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Ottawa, January 21, 1911.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant in further reference to the use of the school-room on the Gibson reserve by the Indians,

In reply I beg to say that if better care is not taken of the building and premises by the Indians when using it for Council and other meetings the Department will be obliged to withdraw the privilege of holding these meetings in it. You will be good enough to advise the caretaker and the Indians accordingly. Arrangements will also have to be made by the Court of the Independent Order of Foresters and by the Orange Society to compensate the caretaker for the labour involved in cleaning the room after their meetings. The Department would ask you to see that these arrangements are carried out.

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Your obedient servant,

A. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary,

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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W. B. W. ARMSTRONG

PARRY SOUND, ONT..

Jan. 18th 1911.

Parry Sound Indian Sup't'cy.

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D. F. MacDonald,
Indian Supt.,
Parry Sound, Ont.

1 doz. School Slates, 10 x 12 ----------	1.10
Express charges prepaid to Miss Yarwood, Bala.----	.30
	$ 1.40

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Watha Band
Vote 25-8

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Parry Sound Indian Sup't'cy.

To W. B. W. Armstrong

1911 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152195/4. January 4"		
January	13"	To 1 doz Slates. 10x12	$1.	10
		Gibson Indian School		
		Express Charges prepaid to		
		Miss Garwood Bala		30
			$1.	40

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D. J. Macdonald

Agent.

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Extract from letter from Mr. H. R. Scovell, Inspector of Public Schools, in reference to Gibson School, dated February 14th, 1911. Original on 152195/1.

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On visiting your school today I find that the equipment and accommodation are just the same as they were a year ago. The things which the teacher most urgently feels the need of are (1) a map of Ontario and (2) a supply of up-to-date desks. See Memo

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Ottawa, July 17, 1911.

Sir,

The Public School Inspector reports that new desks are needed for the Gibson school. I have to ask you to be good enough to submit a diagram of the floor showing the arrangement of a sufficient number of double desks to meet the needs of the school. When this is received an order will be placed. You will be good enough at the same time to give definite shipping instructions, in order that these may be forwarded by freight.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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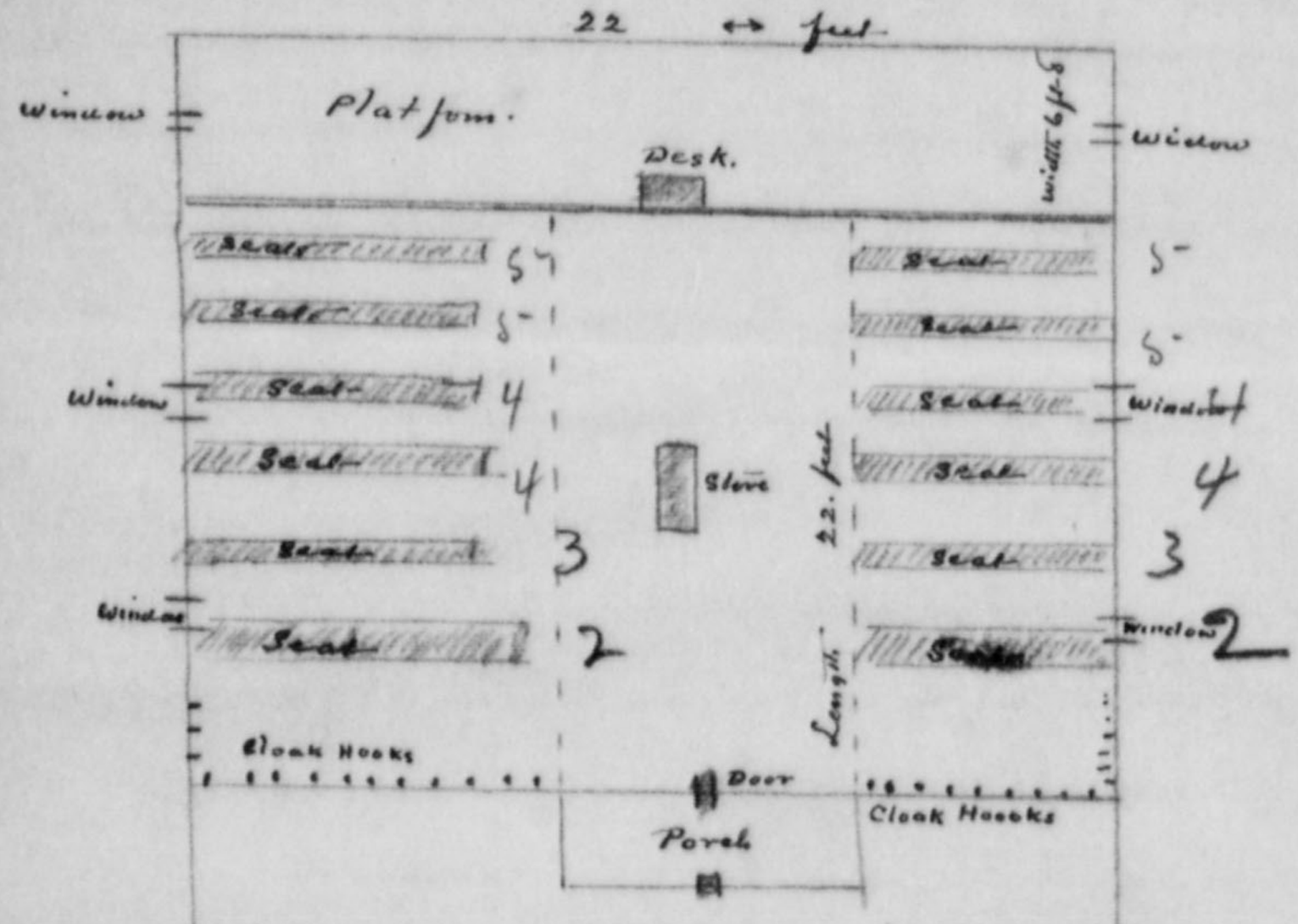
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Diagram of Watha school
Gibson Reserve



4 No 5'-
4 No 4
2 No 3
2 No 2
2 rear slab No 2 -

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 5 1911

Parry Sound

MEMO. Ack

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH
SEP 6 1911

September 4" 1911

388984

The Secretary.
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottowa.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
SEP 7 1911

Sir.

I beg to inclose. you a diagram of. the Watha. Indian School Gibson Reserve Which requires One dozen. of pupils seated desks. Those in use are absolutely worthless and unfit for their present purpose.

If you will have. the new seats Shipped to Bala. C. P. R. Station. the Chief can have them. teamed to the School house.

I am. Sir your obedient Servant
D. J. Macdonald
Indian Supt.

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Ottawa, Sept. 8th., I9II.

Gentlemen:-

I have to ask you to be good enough to forward, freight charges prepaid, the following desks to Chief Louis Sahanatien of the Watha Indian Reserve, at Bala, Ont. The Chief's Post Office address is Sahanatien,Ont, and you should advise him when the goods are shipped:-

Four	double	separate	Desks	No. 5
Four	"	"	"	No. 4
Two	"	"	"	No. 3
Two	"	"	"	No. 2

Two rear seats No. 2.

The account in duplicate for these desks should be forwarded to D. F. Macdonald, Esq., Indian Superintendent, Parry Sound, Ont.

I hope you will give this order your early attention.

Your obedient servant,

D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The E. N. Moyer Co., Ltd.,
TORONTO, Ont.

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Ex'd

Ottawa, Sept. 8th., 1911.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that the desks for the Gibson school have been ordered to be shipped as directed by you. The firm supplying the same has been instructed to send its account for the desks to you for transmission to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

[redacted]LEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,

Indian Superintendent,

Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound.

5th October 1911

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 9 1911

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 15-2195—5.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Ack

390753

Sir,—

Referring to your letter of 8th September. /11

No.

I beg to acknowledge the reciept of your letter. regarding. the desks. for the Gibson. Indian School.

On my official visit to the Reserve. on the 2nd Instant. I was informed by the Chief and others. that the desks. had not reached. Bala. Station. I. Explained to them that I had a letter. from. you stating that you had ordered the desks.

The Indians questioned my Veracity and as usual. became very insulting in their Expressions. on matters in general.

On. my return to Bala. I made. Enquiries about the desks. and. found that they had. not. arrived at either of the Stations

I am Sir. your obedient Servant.

D. J. Macdonald

Indian Supt.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa

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Ottawa, October 10, 1911.

Gentlemen,

I beg to refer to official letter of the 6th ultimo and to ask when the desks ordered therein for the school on the Walpole reserve will be shipped.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The E. N. Moyer Co., Ltd.,
Toronto, Ont.

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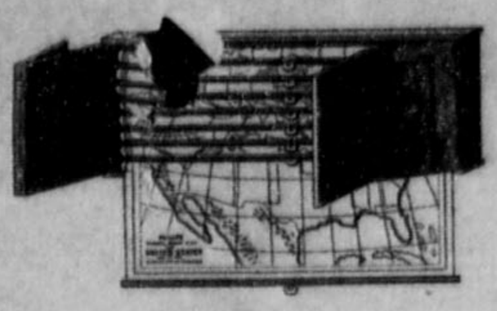
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Mr. J. D. McLean,

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

Youre 152195/5 re your Desk order to hand and in reply we may say that shipment will be made on Monday next. The delay was owing to the fact that we had ~~not~~ under estimated the number of Double Individual Desks that we would require, and ran short at the most busy season of the year.

We regret the incident very much but are pleased to be able to say that it does not occur very often with us, and we think we are safe in saying that from this on we will be able to ship promptly.

Regretting the delay and soliciting your continued patronage, We are,

Youre very truly,

E. N. MOYER COMPANY, LIMITED

PER E.N. Moyer

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Parry Sound Indian Sup't Co

No. of Account 6067

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Watha Band
Gibson Reserve

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Isaac White.

39257

1911 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152159-5 dated 8th Sept /11		
November	6th	To moving School Seats and desks from Bala C.P.R. Station to Sahanalien School Gibson Reserve	$5.	00
		This material was ordered about the middle of July last and arrive at Bala on or about the 4th of November /11		

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D. J. Macdonald
Agent.

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Parry Sound Indian Sup't'cy

Duplicate.

Bala. November 6th 1911

Mr. D. J. Macdonald. Indian Agent.

1911.

To. S. White.

392557

Nov. 6th To moving School Seats and desks
To Sahanatien Gibson. $5. 00

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NOV 10 1911

Parry Sound Indian Sup't'cy.

8th November. 1911.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Ex'd

Sir.

I beg to inclose you Mr. Isaac. White's account for Carting the Sahanaken School furniture from Bala. Station. to Sahanaken School on Gibson Reserve

I may say that the Chief and his head men. on the second of October. displayed some temper. towards me when I told them. that. the furniture. had been Ordered in Ample time. to have the same delivered before the School had Opened.

On my return to Bala. I instructed Watch. the arrival of the stuff at the Station. and cart it the next moment to the Reserve. Which he has done.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant

D. J. Macdonald
Indian Supt

Rec'd Nov. 13 11

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No. of Account 606267

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Walpole Band

The Department of Indian Affairs.

392815

To E. H. Noyer. Company Limited

1911 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 15219-5 dated Sept- 8th/11		
October	16	To 4 #5. double iron bed desks	$18	80
"	"	" 4 #4. " " "	19	80
"	"	" 2 # 3. " " "	10	00
"	"	" 2 # 2. " " "	~~10~~ 8	50
"	"	" 2 # 2 " " Rocks.	8	40
			$ 69	50
			65	50

Thes Goods arrived at Bala Station about the 3rd or 4th of November /11

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D. J. Macdonald

Agent.

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Toronto, Nov. 11th, 1911.

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TERMS F. O. B. C. P. O. Parry Sound, Ont.

Agents are not authorized to collect.

All claims against this bill must be made upon receipt of goods.

Four	# 5	Double Individual Desks			4	70	18 80
Four	# 4	"	"	"	4	95	19 80
Two	# 3	"	"	"	5	00	10 00
Two	# 2	"	"	"	4	25	10 50
Two	# 2	"	"	Rears	4	20	8 40
							67 50
							65,50

Shipped to:- Chief Louis Sahanation of the Watha Indian Reserve,

P a l s, Ont.

(DUPLICATE)

NOTICE

If you send us a Cheque, add 25c. for exchange. We prefer Bank Drafts, Express Orders, Money Orders or Postal Notes. THEY ARE CHEAPER.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Pany Sound

November 14" 19

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 15219 - 5
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

592815

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 15 1911

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH
NOV 16 1911

Sir,—

Referring to your letter of Sept 8th 1911.

No.

I beg to inclose you E. N. Moyer's Company's account for Desk seats for the Waltha School. Gibson Reserve.

I am Sir your obedient Servant,

D. J. Macdonald

Indian Supt.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Inclose Moyer's account for $65.50 as above
Inclose Uniform Agent's account for $69.50 as above
Inclose Moyer's account for $4.25 should be at $8.50 instead of $10.50 charged

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Ottawa ,18th November, 1911.

With Cheque.

Sirs,

I beg to transmit herewith cheque No 1537 for $65.50 in payment of your account ,received from Agent Macdonald, Parry Sound,for desks supplied for the Indian School on the Watha Reserve. I have to point out that the account was incorrectly rendered. Two desks at $4.25 cost $8.50 not $10.50 as charged. The correction of the error reduces the account from $67.50 to $65.50 ,the amount of the enclosed cheque.

Your obedient servant.

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

The E.N. Moyer Company Ltd.,

Toronto, .Ont.

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Ottawa ,18th November, 1911.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 14th instant, I beg to say that a cheque has been sent to the E.N. Moyer Company Ltd., in payment of the account which you forwarded for desks supplied for the Indian school on the Watha Reserve.

There was an error in the account . Two desks at $4.25 cost $8.50 not $10.50,as charged. The correction of this error reduced the amount of the account from $67.50 to $65.50. You should be particular to see that accounts are correct before sending them in for payment.

Your obedient servant.

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

D.F. Macdonald,Esqr.,

Indian Superintendent,

Parry Sound,Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND. Watha Band

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To E. N. Moyer Company

1911. DATE.		353050	AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No 152.195 dated 8th Sept/11		
Sept	11th	To 4. # 5. double individual Desks @ 4.70	$18.	80
"	"	" 4. # 4. " " " 4.75	19	00
"	"	" 2. # 3. " " " 5.00	10	00
"	"	" 2. # 2. " " " 5.25	10	50
"	"	" 2. # 2. " " Rears. 4.20	8	40
			$67.	50

This account in duplicate was receive about the 13th of September which I Checked and placed on file On the 2nd of October When I visited the Gibson Reserve Indian School. The School furniture had not reached its destination. I immidealely opened Communication with the "Moyer people about the furniture. and finally had it Carted to the School about the 6th of November. In the haste and Worry I overlooked which Copy of the Invoice. I mailed you.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

D. J. Macdonald

Agent

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VIA

P. O. Sahanatien.

DATE SHIPPED

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Toronto, Sept. 11th, 1911.

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Two	# 2	"	"	"	@ 5.25	10	50
Two	# 2	"	"	Reafs	@ 4.20	8	40
						67	50

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

22nd November 1911

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 28 1911

ACCOUNTANT
NOV 25 1911
BRANCH

393090

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152 195/5
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

Referring to your letter of 18th of November/11

No.

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter regarding the Error in the E. N. Moyer Co's account for School furniture. for the Gibson Indian School.

The Invoice mailed to me when they wrote that. the Goods were Shipped once. On reciept I Checked it over. and placed it on file. After a long time. and annoyance. I got the Furniture. placed in the School room.

The Moyer people sent me a second set of invoices. and unfortunately I sent you the unchecked. accounts

I regret very much. that made the Mistake. I am inclosing the Originals with Vouchers.

I am Sir your Obedient Servant

D. J. Macdonald
Indian Supt.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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$ 65.50

Received from Sec. Repo

the sum of Sixty Five

on account of Supplies. Skates

No. 29.

E. N. Moyer Company Limited.

per [illegible]

THE R. J. LOVELL CO. LIMITED, TORONTO

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12 LOUISA STREET

TORONTO
WINNIPEG
EDMONTON

Toronto, Nov. 21 1911

M[illegible]partment of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa

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IN ACCOUNT WITH

E. N. MOYER CO., LIMITED

MAP PUBLISHERS

SCHOOL, CHURCH AND OPERA FURNISHERS

No. ..... TERMS .....

Nov	1	*To Account Rendered*	67	50	
"	21	By Cash	65	50	
Nov.	21	To Balance	2	00	

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E.N. MOYER, Pres. & Mgr.
H.R.A. MOYER, Sec.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL $150.000.00



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TORONTO, CANADA.

ESTABLISHED 1884.

PHONE MAIN 4494.

November, 22nd 1911.

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH NOV 25 1911

Mr. J. D. McLean,

Ottawa, Ont.

1346

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find voucherfor the amount of your remittance as well as statement. Just why you paid $4.25 for two Desks we don't know we have a duplicate copy of your invoice, and on it is given our regular selling price which is $5.25 not $4.25 as you have it, and as ours is a duplicate we know of no reason why yours should not be right.

Yours very truly,

E.N. MOYER CO., LTD.

Per E. N. Moyer
PRESIDENT

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ACCOUNTANTS
DEC 2 1911
BRANCH

Ottawa, 28th November, 1911.

With Cheque.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 22nd instant, I transmit herewith cheque No 1546 for $ 2.00, being balance due you in connection with your account for desks supplied for the Indian School on the Watha Reserve. A explanation has been received from Agent Macdonald to the effect that you rendered to him two sets of invoices, and apparently he sent to the Department the one in which you made a mistake, consequently it lead to the issue of a cheque for less than the full amount due you. The cheque now enclosed completes payment in full.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

E. N. Moyer Co., Limited,
Toronto, Canada.

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152195-6

Bracebridge, Apr. 6, 1912.

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To the Secretary,
Indian Department,
Ottawa Ontario.

Dear Sir,

I received your letter of Mar. 4. many thanks for your information. I dont see why the Education Dept. at Toronto could never enlighten me. I wrote them on the subject two or three times.

I may be able to visit the Gibson School in May or June, after navigation opens. However, I dont know that a permanent teacher has been engaged yet.

As I have never collected a fee for my visits to this school, I presume it would be quite in order for me to send in my bill at a time.

Yours very truly,
H. G. Scovell, I.C.S.

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2 letters

Ottawa, March 19, 1912.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant enclosing a communication from Mr. Scovell, Public School Inspector, in reference to the inspection of the Gibson school.

In reply I beg to say that Mr. Scovell is being written to direct and informed of the arrangement with the Ontario Department of Education for the inspection of this and other Indian schools. His reports must be sent to Toronto for transmission to this Department.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

D. F. Macdonald, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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152195/6

Ottawa, April 17, 1912.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the Department will be pleased to have you visit the Gibson School at your earliest convenience and send your report immediately after your inspection through the Department of Education, Toronto, together with your account, in duplicate, for the fee and travelling expenses.

With regard to the payment of past accounts I beg to say that the Department can only pay you for the inspection made during the year 1911. If you will forward a copy of your report of that inspection, which was made in February, together with an account, in duplicate, direct to the Department payment will be made. Your accounts should be certified by you in the following terms:- "I hereby certify that the above account is correct and just in all respects and that the whole expenditure was incurred on Government business."

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

H. R. Scovell, Esq.,
Public School Inspector,
Bracebridge, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 20 1912

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Acct 1

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402394

Sir,

Sat. Sahanatien
Gibson School
To 3 days work at - $2.00 per day $6.00
" 1 pkg. tacks .50
$6.50

Sat. Sahanatien put in the new steps and made some repairs at Gibson School house in Nov. 1911.
This work was done satisfactorily

Mary L. Garwood
Teacher

Secy. Dept. of Indian affairs.

Dear Sir

The chief spoke of the above case when I visited there on Monday the 8th as Mrs. Garwood had promised to and it was some time ago.

Yours &c
A Logan Supt

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152195/5

Ottawa 22nd April, 1913.

Sir,

With reference to the account of $6.50 fromJas. Sahanatien for work in connection with the Gibson School,and the placing therein of new desks, etc.,I beg to say that the account should be made out in duplicate on the voucher forms supplied by the Department, a supply of which is being sent you,and you should sign the printed certificate at the foot thereof. I see that the account is sent in to the Department in the proper way.

Your obedient servant.

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

A. Logan,Esqr.,

Indian Agent,

Parry Sound,Ont.

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

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Vote

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Copy. To James Sakanatien

DATE.		AMOUNT.
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152195/5 dated April 22-1912	
June	To 3 days work at $ 2.00 per day	6 00
	1 . package Screws	50
		$ 6.50

The above was for putting new school seats together and setting up same in Tobacco School.

He was sent in by Mrs. Sparwood, late teacher on April 22-1912

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Sch
Vote

Recommended for Payment
8/8/12
Approved.
D. C. of I. A.

Aud. May 13 12

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Sgt Alex Logan
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To George Moore

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
1912		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 152191/4 dated Dec. 23		
Nov. to Jan		Ld. Blakes and Brown supplied to Gibson Reserve School as per acc in detail	3.	70 V

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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STATEMENT

Parry Sound Jan 3 1912

Mr Indian Dept

415078

per A. Logan, Parry Sound

In acct. with George Moore Dr.

TERMS					
Jan 3	1/2 doz slates	10	60		
	1/2 " "	15	40		
	Broom		60		
	Express		30		
Nov 15	1 doz Slates		100		
	Express		30		
				3	70

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Perry Bound

June 11th 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195-4 Dec '23
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

41806

Sir,—

I beg to enclose account & Vouchers in duplicate for supplies sent to Gibson Reserve school. and hope same may meet with your approval Dan your

Obedient Servant

Secretary
Department of Indian affairs
Ottawa

Alexander Logan
Indian Supt

Sask Note
Recommended for payment
D. S. G. & I. A.

Rec'd Jan. 27/13

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Jno. 19/1/13

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 21 1913

420481

Extract from Inspectors Report on the Gibson Indian School for the month of October, 1912. Original on File 152195-6

BUILDINGS and PREMISES.

The grounds are very poor. The school house needs painting. Everything else quite satisfactory.

SCHOOLS BRANCH. FEB 24 1913

H.R. Scovell, I. P. S.

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152195/5

Ottawa, February 24, 1913.

Sir,-

The Public School Inspector in his report on the Gibson school states that the grounds are very poor and that the building needs painting.

I have to ask you to be good enough to report as to what might be done, if anything, to improve the grounds. The Department would also like to know whether if the material were supplied there is any reliable Indian who would undertake to perform the labour. I may mention that the name of Antoine Dewasha has been suggested to the Department as being a reliable person. It might be well for you to communicate with him when you have an opportunity and submit a list of the material necessary with an estimate of the cost.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alex. Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 2 1913

Letter
15 [illegible]/5
Feb 24th

Schools 15'2195-5

Parry Sound
April 29th 1913

425030
BRANCH

Secretary Department
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Sir

I beg to report that I examined the School House and grounds at Gibson Reserve. and find that the trouble is that the road passes close to the School House and the windows being low away the children when studying the School wants painting very much when it was painted last time they had not used any Shellac on the knots. (hence the trouble.)
The water lies all round the building it will be necessary to get a drain run from the building and some gravel put around it. the grounds want levelling off some. the road diverted. and a fence put up. to keep the teams and waggons away I think it would take $100.00 to put the grounds in shape and build a fence around. and it will cost $65.00 to paint it — — —
I can get — Francis Decaire to dig the grounds and build fence - and Albert Commandant could do the painting if Dept thinks it preferable to have the Indians do it — awaiting your Commands I am your

Obedient Servant
Alfanded Logue
Indian Supt

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152195-5

Ottawa, May 7, 1913.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th ultimo in reference to the painting of the Gibson School Building and drainage and fencing of the grounds. In reply I beg to say that the Department will supply the material for both the painting and fencing and will allow a reasonable amount for the labor. You may therefore purchase the paint and have the work done by Albert Commandant and have the work of the grounds and fencing done by Francis Decaire.

The voucher should show in detail the articles purchased and prices and also the amount of labor involved with the rates charged which Must be reasonable.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. MOLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alex. Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Regina Sask. June 31/13

Department of Indian Affairs

Mr. A. Logan Indian Superintendent

In acct with J.W. Sully

June 16.	2.	1	Plow 14.00 — 1 Scraper 8.00	22.00
July 3.	30	rods	wire fencing .50	15.00
	63	ft.	Lawn fencing .13	8.19
	1.	Gate	10 x 46	5.50
	1.	"	3½ x 36	2.75
	15	lb	staples.	.60
				$54.04

D.K. A. Logan
Supt

Copy

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

Schools

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.H. Tully. Parry Sound

DATE.		AMOUNT.	
	262222. June 1st Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 152195 dated May 7th for Gibson Reserve		
1912			
June 16	1 Plow	$ 14.	00
"	1 Scraper	4.	00
63	Ft. Lawn fencing 13.	4.	19 ✓
1	Gate 10 x 46 -	5.	50 ✓
1	do 3½ x 36	2.	75 ✓
30	Rods wire fencing @ 50¢	15	00 ✓
15	lb staples.	—	60 ✓
		$ 54.	04

The above was all delivered to Gibson Reserve on good orders and June 15 being put up at present time

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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152195-5

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

431755 Parry Sound

Aug 11 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195-5
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.
May 7th 13

Sir,—

I beg to enclose to you account in duplicate also Vouchers for material supplied to Gibson Reserve for road work and fixing up School grounds and fencing as per letter above referred to — which I trust you may find correct

I am your Obedient Servant

Alexander Logan
Indian Supt

Secretary
Department
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

10 Aug 27/13

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FURNITURE OF ALL KINDS

GENERAL HOUSE FURNISHINGS

Parry Sound, July 23rd ---1913

M [redacted] of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

OSTERMOOR MATTRESSES — WALDORF BED SPRINGS	IN ACCOUNT WITH L. M. Logan **ALEX. LOGAN** FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER Office and Warerooms: James Street	OFFICE DESKS and SCHOOL SEATS — RUGS AND LINOLEUM

April 10th 13.	To 6. Window Shades (for Gibson School.)	50 ¢	3.00

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

431751

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To James M Logan
Paid Pd

DATE.		AMOUNT.
1913	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 152185/14 dated Apl 6th	
April 10/13	To 6 window Shades 50 —	3.00
	Jn Gibson School — —	
	the above was supplied and sent forward in good order	
		3.00
	Lum. Aug. 27/13	1077

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Carry Bound

Aug 21 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195/4
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Aug 26

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE
AUG 25 1913
ACCOUNTANT
BRANDON

I beg to enclose a/c in duplicate also Vouchers for window shades supplied to Gilson Reserve School — and hope you will find same correct.

I am your Obedient Servant

Alexander Logan
Indian Agent

The Secretary
Department
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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No. of Account Gibson School.

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

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Sch Vole

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Albert Commandant

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 152195 dated May 7th.		
Sept.	23.	To 13 days work of team @ 2.00 per day	$	26.00
		A. Commandant 258 hrs. at 20¢		51.60
		Hap. do. 238 hrs. at 20¢		47.60
		62 fence posts 10¢ each.		6.20
		1½ lbs. nails		.08
		3 lights of glass		.24
				131.72

1383

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Jukes & Hanner
Parry Sound

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Authorized by Dept. Letter No 15'2195'-5' dated May 7 '95.		
Aug	19	97 lbs. paint, Exterior painting	11	64
		12 " Indian Red " Trim	2	40
		2 " Black " sash		40
		10 " putty .50, 2 gal. Shellac 2.00, 1 gal. oil .80	3	30
		46 " paint, Interior painting	5'	52
		20 Express to Bala		80
Sept	15'	12 lbs. paint for wainscotting	1	44
		Express		35'
		5' paint brushes	1	40
			# 27	35'

1389

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

Sept 24 1913

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 15.2.195=5-
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

ACCOUNTANT
OCT 433816
BRA

Sir,—

I beg to send you accounts and vouchers for work done by A. Commandant. also for supplies by Jukes and Hamen. for repairs Painting Fencing and Levelling grounds at Gibson School. I may report the work well done and everything looks a lot better. and trust the same will meet with your approval and that cheques may be issued forthwith

I am your Obedient Servant

Alexander Logan
Indian Supt

Secretary
Department
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Recommended for Payment
Approved.
D.S.G.
Ch. Cu
Dec: 4/13
2/10/13

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MAY 29 1914

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

May 21st. 1914

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

I beg to enclose foryyour approval sundry accounts for supplies to the different schools, Ryerson, Shawanaga, and Gibson.

The charge for work at Gibson School was putting on door latch and fixing the floor which had settled down so that the snow drifted in.

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Parry Sound

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

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To Albert Commandant, Ba. la.

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. Letter No. ..... dated		
		447932		
Apr.	23	To I Out latch set	I.	50
		I Out Catch	.	15
		I Elbow	.	30
		I Broom	.	40
		Work Putty in Latch and repairs & Shoe	I.	00
			$ 3	.35

The above was supplied to Tiborn school
A. L.

Sch Vote

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
391...
APPROVED
ACCOUNTANT

26/5/14

249

Ewt May 26/14

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Parry Sound

Sept. 4th. 1914

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 8 1914

Sir,—

I beg to report the following repairs necessary for the Gibson Indian School.

The foundation wants pointing all round, as the snow drifted through last winter, two seats need repairing, a wood box is wanted, some lights of glass, and some hooks to hang cups on. I also recommend the purchase of a table, chair, and a clock. I would like your authority to supply the above and have foundation fixed. I estimate the cost $ 25.00.

Trusting this amy meet with your approval,

SCHOOLS BRANCH
SEP 11 1914

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, September 11, 1914.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 4th instant I beg to say that you may have the repairs enumerated therein made to the Gibson Indian School and you may purchase a table, chair and clock. The total cost should not exceed your estimate of $25.00.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Vale

No. of Account Parry Sound.

Agency

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To Albert Commandant, Sahanatien.

DATE.		AMOUNT.
	Authorized by Dept. Letter No. I52I95/5 dated Sept IIth.	
	Worked 4½ days	9.00
	Lumber	.50
	2 glass IOxI2	.20
	Paint	.50
	2 lbs. nails	.IO
		$ IO.30

Painting ap Stone work Foundation
Making a wood box
putting in glass. which had been broken
all the above has been done in
a good manner
A. I.

Cert. Dec. 29/14

2263

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. I52I95/5
Sept. IIth/I4.
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 24 1914

Oct. 22nd. 1914

456785

Sir,—

ACCOUNTANT
OCT
BRANCH

O.X.D.

I beg to enclose to you account and vouchers from Albert Commandant, Sahanatien, for repairs to scho ol house and trust same amy meet with your approval.

Sch bote

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
45-8
APPROVED
ACCOUNTANT

29/10/14

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.N.Logan, Parry Sound

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. Letter No 152195/ dated Sept. 11th.		
Oct.3	To I chair	2	50
	I table	3	50
	2 broom @ 40¢		80
	Chalk & pencils		25
		$ 7	05

Supplied to Gibson School

2694

Sec. Dec. 2/14

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.M.Logan,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 27 1914

Oct.3	To.	I chair	458539	2.50
		I table		3.50
		2 brooms @ 40¢		.80
		chalk & pencils		.25
			$	7.05

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No. of account Parry Sound

Sch Vote

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.A.Morrow,Jeweler,parry Sound

DATE			AMOUNT
		*Authorized by Dept. Letter No. 152195/5 dated Sept.IIth.	
	Oct.	To I clock for Gibson Reserve School	5.00

2693
Encl. Dec. 2/14

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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Parry Sound, Nov. 2'th. 190 14

M Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

TO **J. A. MORROW** DR.

WATCHMAKER, JEWELER AND OPTICIAN.
MASONIC BLOCK, SEGUIN STREET,
PARRY SOUND.

Oct.	3	To I clock	5	.00
		Express paid		.15
			5	.15

Rec'd

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No.

ALSO

TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Parry Sound

nov. 25 1914

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 27 1914

Sir,—

EXD. 458555

I beg to enclose to you accounts from J.M.Logan, and J.A.Morrow, for goods supplied to Gibson Reserve School as per your letter, No. I52I95/5 Sept. IIth.

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
APPROVED
ACCOUNTANT

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan
Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Saskatoon Sask
13-2-1915

Dear Sir

Sunday 15th

I am writing to inform you that I have decided to stop this. to save and avoid such trouble.

You this question ... the door later was want to be informed by them. & with a put a stoppage ... milling. To Laeco splitting nature. You see ... the flour ... Caretaker of this ... house. the school- I would write this by the Indian ... to the Dept: to look after this ... school. There is a certain I.O.F lodge, meets in this ... school. every Month for their lodge. and Sound ... for damage. As the ... building.

I was appointed

3 Try and ... avoid ... and ... broken ... foul- ... all over ... I thank ... direct- ... get an ... No use ... B Parry ... pay no ...

Yours Truly
Jremain
Laforge

Mr Xavier Laforge

SCHOOLS
JUN 23 1915

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2. The carry in lots of dirt & Mud
after I cleaned it carefully.
And they don't compensate what-
ever they don't seem to care for
Pay any thing concerning doing
the filthiness. So I want to tell
you that I want to put a stop
to this. or else I will quit in
taking care B this school.
Write to Peter Decaire. he was the
Chief Ranger. B this Lodge
tell him that they must do
something towards paying some
for the trouble they gave me
or they must quit and stay away
from it altogether. else there
will be a serious trouble might
arise therefrom

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152195-5

Ottawa, June 23, 1915.

Sir,-

The Department is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Xavier Laforce, caretaker of the Gibson School, in which he states that the I. O. F. lodge, which holds meetings every month in this school, is doing considerable damage to the building and causing the caretaker considerable additional labour in cleaning the room after the meeting.

You will be good enough to advise the officers of the I. O. F. that unless better care is taken of the building and arrangements made for compensating the caretaker for his extra work, the Department will be obliged to withdraw the privilege of holding these meetings in the school.

Kindly advise the Department of the arrangements you have made.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound.
Ont.

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Recd

Ottawa, June 23, 1915.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant, in which you state that considerable damage is being done to the school building and extra labour caused you by the holding of meetings in the school.

In reply I beg to say that the Agent has been instructed to make satisfactory arrangements between you and the officers of the I. O. F., and it is hoped that there will be no cause for complaint in the future.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Mr. Xavier Laforce,
Sahanatien
Ont.

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EXTRACT

ORIGINAL ON FILE.....152195-6.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR SCOVELL ON THE GIBSON DAY SCHOOL.

The closets need straightening up as well as repainting.

Date of Inspection,-May 16th, 1917.

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152195-5.

Ottawa, June 29th, 1917.

Sir,-

In a recent report on the Gibson day school Inspector Scovell says that the closets require straightening up.

Kindly have this attended to during the holidays.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Alex. Logan, Esq
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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EXTRACT

Original on file.....152195-6.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR SCOVELL ON THE GIBSON DAY SCHOOL.

Buildings in very good condition except that the closets have not been made plumb yet.

Required,-Bench, cupboard, school door, locks and keys.

Date of Inspection,-February 14th, 1918.

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152195

Ottawa, April 8th, 1918.

Sir,-

On June 20th, 1917, you were instructed to have the closets at the Gibson school straightened. Inspector Scovell in a report dated February 14th, 1918, states that they are still out of plumb. Apparently, you did not have this matter attended to. I have to request that you will have the necessary action taken during the coming summer holidays.

The Inspector also states that a bench, cupboard, school door, locks and keys are also required at this school.

Kindly advise the Department what these articles are required for and furnish an estimate of the cost of them.

As the weather is becoming fine, there is no reason for a small attendance at this school and you should instruct the truant officer to take immediate action to increase the attendance.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account Parry Sound

Sch Vote

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Albert Commandant, Sahanatien, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
Tmor 15/18	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	Repairs on school house, Sahanatien.	
	To work and goods as per account	$10.50

2534
Sent 11/1/19.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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School House
Repairs

Sahamathin.
Nov. 15/18

Dear Sir.

I am sending you my bill
for the school house

20	hours work repairing chairs @	6.00
4	locks	3.20
1	Hasp 1 padlock 2 hangers	.75
1	lb. nails	.10
1	dust pan	15
2	window glass	30
		@ 10.50

Albert Commandant.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 8 1919
RECORDS

Parry Sound

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195/6
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Jan. 5th. 191 9

Sir,—

I beg to enclose to you account for repairs done to Gibson School by Albert Commandant a member of the band. The labor mentioned in the account was prindipally for fixing up the two outside closets. The work was all completed sometime ago and was done in good shape. Trusting this account will meet with your approval,

Sch Date

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
APPROVED
9/1/19

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

ACCOUNTANT'S
JAN 9 1919
BRANCH

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ORIGINAL ON FILE...152195-6.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR SCOVELL ON THE GIBSON DAY SCHOOL.

The stove is wearing out.

A cupboard with lock and key is sorely needed.

Date of Inspection,-February 12th, 1919

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152195

Ottawa, July 2nd, 1919.

Sir,-

Inspector Scovel, in a recent report on the Gibson day school, reports,-" The stove is wearing out. A cupboard with lock and key is sorely needed."

Kindly advise the Department regarding the stove. If you consider a new one is required, you should obtain prices and submit same for the Department's consideration. You should also furnish an estimate of the cost of a cupboard with lock and key.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Alex. Logan, Esq.
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 23 1919
RECORDS

Parry Sound

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195-5
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Aug. 21st. 1919

Sir,—

528518

I beg to report to you that I have examined the stove at Gibson School and would recommend a new one as it is badly cracked also 15 new stove pipes and a school cupboard with lock and key. A new stove and pipes would cost $25. and cupboard $20. I can get $7 for the old stove that would make an expenditure of $18 for the stove and pipes and $20 for the cupboard.

Trusting to be favoured with your early reply,

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept.of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
AUG 26 1919

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H.A.U.

Ottawa, August 25, 1919.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant, in which you recommend that a new stove, the necessary stove pipes and a cupboard be purchased for the use of the Gibson Indian Day School and submit prices.

In reply I beg to say that you may purchase a new stove and fifteen lengths of stove pipes and also a cupboard with a lock and key for the use of this school. You should obtain prices from a number of dealers in these supplies and purchase from the one quoting the lowest price. The expenditure should not exceed the prices quoted by you. In forwarding the accounts for payment, you should state not only the lowest prices you obtained, but also the prices quoted by other firms or persons. Kindly give this matter your prompt attention and have these articles delivered at the school. You should arrange to have the stove set up.

You may dispose of the old stove for the amount stated, viz.- $7.00, and you should forward the amount received to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

Sgd A. F. MacKenzie

For Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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REPORT NO. 117

MINUTE NO.

No. of Account Parry Sound

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Sch 6076

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Wm. Beatty Co. Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	152195/5 Aug. 25/19 Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152199/4 dated Oct 14/19	
	To goods supplied as per account enclosed	$40.15

1840
Sent 3/11/19.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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PARRY SOUND, Oct. 22nd/19

M Dept. of Indian Affairs

per Alex. Logan Supt.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

THE WILLIAM BEATTY CO., LIMITED

GENERAL MERCHANTS
LUMBER, COAL AND WOOD

Interest at 8 per cent. per annum charged on Overdue Accounts.

To	1 box stove	21.	00	
"	15 stove pipes	3.	75	
"	1 elbow	.	25	
"	1 damper pipe	.	50	
"	2 handsaws @2.00	4.	00	
"	2 hammers @1.10	2.	20	
"	1 smoothing plane	1.	50	
"	2# mixed nails	.	15	
"	18 school slates. 35¢	6.	30	
			.50	$40.15
"	freight prepaid			

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QUOTATIONS RECEIVED.

Wm.Beatty Co. Parry Sound stove .3 H. $21.00 accepted

McKinley Hardware Co. Parry Sound " 23.00

Small items same prices. . . .

Rhyander Logan
Indian Agent

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 25 1919
RECORDS

Parry Sound

Oct. 23rd. 1919

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195/5 Gen 35
ALSO 152195/4 Oct 14/19
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,--

ACCOUNTANTS
OCT 25 1919
BRANCH

I beg to enclose to you account and vouchers for goods supplied to Gibson Reserve school by Wm.Beatty Co.,Parry Sound, as per above letter and trust same may meet with your approval, The prices were the lowest Obtainable

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,

Dept.of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
APPROVED
ACCOUNTANT

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Ottawa, January 15, 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to refer you to letter of the 26th ultimo, in which you were asked to obtain prices for a suitable table for school which is being opened for the benefit of the Indian children residing on that portion of the Gibson Reserve known as Black Lake.

As this table is urgently needed, I have now to ask you to be good enough to make the purchase and have the table delivered as soon as possible. You should obtain prices from several dealers and purchase the table from the one quoting the lowest price. It is expected that you will attend to this matter without it being necessary to again bring it to your attention.

You will be good enough to forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred in the purchase of the table, together with the prices obtained by you from the various dealers.

A.E.S.

Your obedient servant,

D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Ottawa, January 15, 1920.

Gentlemen,-

I have to request that you will be good enough to ship as soon as possible to Mr. William E. Jones, teacher, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ont., two Ball-Bearing Automatic Single Desks No. 6 and one No. 5. These desks are needed to complete the seating equipment at a school which is being conducted during the winter months only, and it is hoped that you will be able to attend to this matter at once.

You will be good enough to forward your account, in duplicate, covering the cost of the desks to Mr. Jones, whose post office addres is Sahanatien, Ont., who is being asked, upon receipt of the desks, to certify the same and forward to the Department, when payment will be made.

The Department will be pleased to hear from you as to the date upon which shipment of these desks is made.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The Geo. M. Hendry Co., Limited,
215-219 Victoria St.,
Toronto, Ont.

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REPORT NO. 157

MINUTE NO.

123

No. of Account Parry Sound

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To W.E.Jones, Gibson Reserve.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No 152195/4 dated Oct. 14/19	
	To goods as per account enclosed	$11.49

Campbell's Bill - 10.84
Burgess-Peterson .65
11.49

123
725
Scott 3/pm/20

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

[signature]

Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

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Parry Sound

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195/4
Oct. 14/19
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Jan. 29th. 1920

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
31 JAN 1920
RECORDS

Sir,—

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH

I beg to enclose to you account from W.E.Jones teacher, Gibson Reserve for sewing material purchased by him as per above letter which I trust will meet with your approval,

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

The Secretary, Indian Supt.
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
Accountant
APPROVED,

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REPORT NO. 158

ACCOUNT NO.

No. of Account Parry...Sound.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A.N.Fenn, Merchant, Town.....

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 18.7193/14 dated.....		
		To goods as per account enclosed.		$8,85

3014
Sent 4/2/20

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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PARRY SOUND'S HARDWARE AND FURNITURE STORE

Parry Sound Jan 19 1920

Mr [redacted] of Indian affairs
Ottawa

IN ACCOUNT WITH..... **A. N. FENN**

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED. FOLIO..... INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

To	1	Table	25	5	25
	6	Slats	25	1	50
	6	"	35	2	10
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Parry Sound

Jan.29th. 1920

IN ANSWERING REPLY REFER TO
No. 153193-4
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 31 1920
RECORDS

Sir,

I beg to enclose to you account from A.N.Fenn, Merchant of this town for table and slates supplied to Gibson School as per above letter.

Sch Inst
RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
APPROVED
3/2/20

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Taylor

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept.of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

ACCOUNTANTS
FEB 2 1920
FRANCE

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152195-1

Ottawa, February 2, 1920

Gentlemen,-

I have to request that you will be good enough to ship, freight prepaid, to William E. Jones, teacher Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ont., one bookcase No. 7-364 as per your catalogue of school material.

The bookcase required should have oak panelled doors. The Department will be pleased if you will have this bookcase shipped as soon as possible.

You should forward your account in duplicate, covering the cost of the bookcase, to Mr. William E. Jones,,who upon receipt of the same is being requested to certify the account and forward to the Department for payment.

The Department would like to be informed of the date on which this bookcase is shipped.

Your obedient servant

D. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

The Geo. M. Hendry Co. Ltd.,
215 - 219 Victoria Street,
Toronto, Ont.

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J.G.F. ANSLEY, SEC'Y - TREAS.

CABLE ADDRESS "HENDRY" TORONTO

152195-1

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215 VICTORIA STREET
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CHICAGO HEIGHTS.

File

Toronto, February 4th, 1920. 536011

L. D. McLean, Esq.,
Assistant Deputy & Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Canada.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 5 1920
RECORDS

Dear Sir;

With reference to your order No.152195-1 we have entered your order for a Bookcase No.7-364 price $27.00 and shipment to Bela will be made in the course of the next two or three days.

Thanking you for the order and awaiting your further favors, we remain,

Yours very truly,

THE GEORGE M. HENDRY CO. LIMITED

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Re 152195/1 Jan 15th

Mission House
Gibson Reserve.
Sahanatien P.O.
Ont,
Feb. 23. 1920.

15-2195-1

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 28 1920
RECORDS

J. D. McLean Esq.
D.S. Ind. Affairs
Sir

153683

In Reference to the No 6 desks & the one No 5 mentioned in your letter, I thought it advisable to tell you that I have heard nothing of these from The Geo. M. Hendry Co. yet.

Yours Very Faithfully
William E. Jones.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAR 1 1920

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152195-1

Ottawa, March 1, 1920

Gentlemen,-

In a letter to you dated January 15th last, the Department requested that you would ship to William E. Jones, teacher Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ont., two Ball-bearing Automatic single desks No. 6 and one No. 5.

Mr. Jones informs the Department that these desks have not yet arrived and as they are required to complete the seating equipment at a school which is being conducted during the winter months only, I have to request that you will now be good enough to have them shipped as soon as possible, if they have not already been forwarded.

You should forward your account in duplicate covering the cost of the desks with receipt attached for the freight charges which you will be good enough to prepay, to Mr. Jones who, upon receipt of the desks, will certify the account and forward it to the Department when payment will be made.

Kindly state the date upon which shipment of these desks will be made.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

The Geo. M. Hendry Co. Ltd.,
215 - 219 Victoria Street,
Toronto, Ont.

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152195-1

Ottawa, March 1, 1920

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd ultimo, informing the Department that the two No. 6 desks and the one No. 5 ordered from the Geo. M. Hendry co. ltd., on the 15th of January last, have not yet arrived.

In reply I beg to say that this company is being instructed to have these desks shipped at once and it is hoped that you will receive them in the course of a few days. They will be shipped to you at Bala, Ont.

It is hoped that all the other articles asked for by you have now been received, if not, the Department will be pleased to hear from you regarding any articles that are missing.

Your obedient servant

D.C. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

William E. Jones, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien P.O.,
ONT.

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MAR 4 1920
RECORDS

AGENTS FOR
W. [illegible] JOHNSTON.
MAPS - EDINBURGH.

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GLOBES, HYLOPLATE
AND BLACKBOARD ERASERS.
CHICAGO HEIGHTS.

March 2, 1920.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
OTTAWA

537056

Your Ref. #152195-1.

Dear Sir,

We are duly in receipt of your letter of the 1st inst. enquiring in regard to your order for two Desks to be shipped to Mr. William E. Jones, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala. We cannot give you any definite delivery date without consulting the Factory, and we are writing them to-day asking for this information. As soon as we receive their reply we will write you again.

Yours very truly,

THE GEORGE M. HENDRY CO. LIMITED.

A/ED

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAR 5 1920

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March 5th, 1920.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 6 1920
RECORDS

537229

J.S. McLean, Esq.,
Ass't Deputy and Secretary,
Dep't of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir;

With further feference to your No. 152195-1, we beg to advise you that we have been informed by the Canadian Office and School Furniture Company, Preston, to the affect that the three Desks on order by your department for shipment to Bala will go forward by freight to-day.

We have written in accordance with the foregoing, to Mr. William E. Jones, Sahanatien, Ontario.

Yours truly,

GEORGE M. HENDRY CO. LTD.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAR 9 1920

/A/S

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TORONTO, Feb., 5, 1920.

Sold to Department of Indian Affairs,

Mr. L.D. McLean, Secy., Ottawa, Can.

VIA C.P.R. No. OF PIECES 1 ORDER No. 27010

TERMS: NET CASH

CUSTOMER'S ORDER No. 152195-1

Remittances should be made by Bank Draft, P. O. or Express Money Order, Out of Town Cheques if for less than $25.00 must be payable at par in Toronto.

Shipt to William E. Jones, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ont.

1	7-364 Bookcase		27.00
	Freight charges		1.00
			28.00

Bookcase unpainted. Price according to Catalogue and fair and just—

Pay from Bank Grant

RETURN THIS TO BE RECEIPTED WHEN REMITTED.

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SCHOOL EQUIPMENT

TORONTO, Mar. 5. 1920

Sold to Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mr. L. D. [redacted], Asst.Deputy & Secy. Ottawa, Ont.

Approved C.P.R. to No. OF PIECES 2 crates ORDER No. 27531

TERMS: NET CASH Hala Stat.

537373

CUSTOMER'S ORDER No. 152195/1.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS RECORDS MAR 12 1920

Remittances should be made by Bank Draft, P. O. or Express Money Order. Out of town Cheques if for less than $25.00 must be payable at par in Toronto.

Shipped to-Mr.Wm.E.Jones, Teacher Gibson Indian Day Sc. Hala, Ont.

2	No.6. B.B.A. Single Desks.	7.35	14	.70		
1	No.5. " " " " " K.D.		7	.35	22	.05

P.O. Sahanatien.Ont.

Goods received. Just price fair and [illegible]

RETURN THIS TO BE RECEIPTED WHEN REMITTING

$1 Sent 15/3/20

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MAR 23 1920
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195-1
Feb. ALSO 2nd.
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound,

March 10th. 19120.

537409

Sir,--

I beg to report to you that the best prices received for supplies to Gibson Reserve School as per above letter, are as follows;-

1-N.3. Teacher's Desk.....$15.00
1-N.2. Book Case.....$14.00- ordered from Geo. N. Hendry Co
1. 24 inch bell 165 lbs.....$41.85

This does not include freight. Those prices are all correct at the present time but may go higher. Let me know soon if I may order any or all of the above.

I am,

Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAR 16 1920

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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22-1 -5

Ottawa, March 16, 1920

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, quoting the price at which you can obtain a teacher's desk, bookcase and bell for the use of the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that you may purchase the teacher's desk and have it delivered at the school. In making the purchase you should be guided in all respects by the requirements of the War Purchasing Commission, as instructed by circular letter of the 25th of February last. The price of the desk should not exceed the quotation mentioned by you. Proper vouchers should be forwarded with the receipt for the freight paid attached and you should also forward a list of the firms from whom prices were obtained and the prices quoted by them.

A bookcase has already been ordered to be sent to the teacher and he has, no doubt, received it before this.

Owing to the cost involved, the Department cannot purchase a bell at the present time, and you need take no further action in the matter.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
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RECORDS

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Parry Sound,

March 31st. 1920.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 22-1-5
ALSO March 16/20
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

538307

Sir,--

In further reference to desk for Gibson School, mentioned and authority given me to order same as per above letter, I beg to report to you that I have a letter from E.N. Moyer & Co., Toronto, dated March 29th. that this desk cannot be supplied now less than $24.10 F.O.B. Parry Sound. As this price has advanced considerably I would like to have your further authority before ordering same.

I am,

Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
APR 6 1920

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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22-1-5

Ottawa, April 6, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo in further reference to the teacher's desk required for the Gibson Indian Day School and submitting a price which you received from the E. N. Moyer Co., Toronto, for supplying the same.

In reply I beg to say that the Department can secure a suitable desk at a lower price from another firm and is placing the order direct. You need, therefore, take no further action in the matter.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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22-1-5

Ottawa, April 6, 1920.

Gentlemen,-

I have to request that you will be good enough to ship as soon as possible to Mr. William E. Jones, teacher, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ont., one teacher's desk No. 120 in your catalogue of School Furniture, at the price quoted by you in your price list of March 6th, last, namely $20.00, subject to a discount of 10 per cent.

You should forward your account, in duplicate, to Mr. Jones, whose post office address is Sahanatien, Ont. He will be authorized, upon receipt of the desk, to certify the account and forward it to the Department for payment.

Kindly acknowledge this order and state the date on which the desk will be shipped.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The Globe Furniture Co., Limited,
Waterloo,
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22-1-5

Ottawa, April 6, 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that an order is being placed with the Globe Furniture Co., Limited, Waterloo, Ont., to supply a teacher's desk for the Gibson Indian Day School. This firm has been instructed to ship the desk to your address, Bala, Ont., and also at the sametime to forward the account, in duplicate, to you.

Upon the arrival of the desk, if in good condition, you will be good enough to certify the account, stating thereon that the desk has been received, and forward it to the Department, in order that payment may be made.

It is hoped when this desk is received, that the equipment at your school and at the sub-school will be complete.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

William E. Jones, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien P.O., Ont.

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RECORDS
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Extractffrom Teachers Annual Report on the Gibson Indian School.

for the Year ended March 31, 1920. Original on 160370-26F. Ont.

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In reference to the schoolhouse I take this opportunity of recommending that a great thing for this reserve and in my opinion a great necessity is a brighter and better schoolhouse, Either on this spot or close by could be erected a house which would attract the scholars and with the necessary improvements quite an advance could be made in our educational activities here. This schoolhouse is out of date, very poor appearance and very dismal. It is used for Council, entertainments, etc., etc., and is old and unattractive. In my opinion it would be an advantage to have a schoolhouse which would be up-to-date, attractive and used for a schoolhouse. The present building could be used for institutional purposes which we are anxious to prepare for next winter, where games, recreation, lectures, etc., could be enyoyed. Mrs. Jones and myself would make the physical culture and gymnastics a special feature.

The present house is badly in need of painting in and out, floor renewed, etc. (fair condition for aforesaid purposes but to encourage the day and night schools I certainly call your attention to the great need of a new schoolhouse. I am quite sure that attendance, punctuality, &c. would be greatly improved and a new interest aroused and the whole idea of education among the pepple placed upon a higher plane and the Dept. would be well repaid for the expenditure and effort. I am also persuaded that in the interests of the ypung and rising race we should have two classrooms.

I would ask the Dept. in the event of their acceding to my request to appoint Mrs. Jones, my wife, to instruct the primer, who with myself is willing to make the education of these people a decided success. When all the children are at home there should be an excellent primer class. I refer to the main school, and Mrs. Jones could do this work very well. I would also desire the Department to authorize the permanent continuation of the sub-school which I am glad to state has proven a great success. The teacher, I believe, is devoted to her work and desires continuation.

I would also ask as a great necessity that the night school be continued until June as I hear that some more are desirous of starting but camps and bad roads, etc.,have prevented a regular attendance yet.

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I have a roll call of 7 or 8 and I am informed of the désire of others to come and to make it a real success. I ask you to make it permenent.

I would also ask the Department to arrange in the new building, if granted, a kutchen and necessary fixtures where household science may be taught and there the scholars, who bring with them their lunch can get it in a more comfortable and cleanly way.

Individual seating in the schoolhouse too, seems a great necessity. Withthe addition of the primer class and the appointment of Mrs. Jones as kindergarten and primer teacher and the night school, the Department would then have upon this reserve a live educational institution which I believe would be a real moral one, and an organization worthy of our best efforts and fraught with great promises for the future and in addition the organization of an institution for the profitable recreation of our young folk in co-operation with our night school as afore outlined, would leave little to be desired. I beg to remain

Your faithful and obedient servant

(Sgd.) William E. Jones.

Teacher

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APR 6 1920
RECORDS

538124

Extract from Teacher's Annual Report on the Gibson Indian School for the Year ended March 31, 1920. Original on 160370-26F. Ont.

Closets need urgent replacing.

Screened approaches,- None. This is a great necessity.

No well, an urgent necessity.

Ventilation of School room.- Necessary improvement desirable.

William E. Jones,

Teacher.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
APR 8 1920

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22-1-5

Ottawa, April 9, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your annual report on the Gibson Indian Day School for the fiscal year ending March 31st, last.

In reference to your request that a new school building be erected to replace the present building, which is out of date, I beg to say that, as the funds of the Department are limited, it will be impossible to erect a new school building during the present year.

Mr. Superintendent Logan is being written to regarding the closets and screened approaches.

With reference to your request that the night school be continued until the end of June, I beg to say that, if the attendance warrants this being done, the Department will have no objection to your continuing this work. If the results and attendance do not, in your opinion, justify the night school being continued until the end of June you should discontinue the work.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

William E. Jones, Esq..
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien P.O., Ont.

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22-1-5

Ottawa, April 9, 1920.

Sir,-

Mr. Jones, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, in his annual report for the fiscal year ending March 31st, last, states that the closets need urgent replacing and that screened approaches should be provided.

I have to request that you will be good enough to furnish a report concerning this matter. If you consider that new closets are required, you should furnish an estimate of the cost of erecting new ones, and also the providing of screened approaches. It might be possible, however, to repair the present closets and put them in a satisfactory condition. You should furnish a full report on this matter after your next visit to the Gibson Reserve.

The teacher states that there is no well and that one is urgently needed. You should advise also concerning this matter and, if you consider a well to be necessary, you should state approximately the cost of boring one.

He also states that the teacher's residence is in need of painting both inside and out and that the floors should be renewed. You should also report on these matters and state the cost of having this work done.

Your obedient servant.

D. C. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No 22-1-5
April 6th 1920

Mission House 22-1-5
Gibson Reserve
Sakaatchewan P.O.
Ont.
April 12th 1920
38899

J. D. McLean Esq.
Sir.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 15 1920
RECORDED

I beg to thank you for your intimation in reference to the Log Book. When it arrives I will carry out your instructions.

In Reference to the completeness of my Equipment, I beg to say that we now have every necessary thing except the School bell.

I understand from Mr Logan this matter is deferred for the present.

I would advise that there is a good bell at the old church here.

Would the Dept suggest any means of getting it.

This would have much expenditure.

In reference to the School Seats received, I beg to say, I have not yet received the Invoices, but will forward them duly certified when they arrive.

I beg to remain
Yours Faithfully
William E. Jones.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
APR 16 1920

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393

Ottawa, April 16, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant, in which you request that the bell at the old church on the Gibson Reserve be secured for the use of the day school.

In reply I beg to say that the Department is not prepared at the present time to take up the matter of having this bell moved from the church and installed for the use of the school.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

William E. Jones, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien P.O., Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

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Cont'd. 3.

Sir,--

I have had a number of complaints lately about the teacher and I think it would be better to have the teacher and preacher separate. The Infant school seems to be getting along alright.

I am,

Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 23 1920
RECORDS

Parry Sound,

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 22-1-5
April 9/20.
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

April 21st. 1920.

539213

Sir,—

SCHOOLS BRANCH
APR 24 1920

I beg to report on Gibson School as requested in above letter.

The closets mentioned are in good shape, they are sided on the outside and painted, matched lumber inside and shingled roof with ventilator in each one. All they require and which I would recommend is a coat of lime whitewash inside. There is no need of screened approaches as they are twenty-five feet apart.

As to the urgent need of a well in the school grounds, there are three wells within one hundred yards of the school and as there are only a few children attending school it would be much better to use the water from one of these. If a well was put in the school grounds it would be so little used that the water would become stagnant.

In the last paragraph of the above letter you state the teacher's residence needs painting etc., As the teacher's house belongs to the Methodist Missionary Society I asked the teacher what he meant by reporting the house being in need of painting and he said he intended the school house. While I think the building is not very bad it might be well to give the inside a coat of paint during the Summer holidays and a new floor would improve the School House although it is not too bad. The present floor is laid with 10 inch pine lumber. If a new floor and platform were put down in hardwood it would cost at the present time $250.00.

The most needed thing in this school are the road repairing seats, as quite a number are broken. If the Department

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Sir,—

will look up where the seats were purchased and let me know I could get some repairs for them and have them fixed up. I think they were bought about 1911 or 1912.

Mr. Jones seems to have a mania for ordering supplies. He started a night school lately but no one is attending, the most he had was three and he has a cupboard filled with books etc., and lamps that cost a lot of money and are not used. He also got saws, planes, hammers etc., and sewing material and I find they have never been used either but he says he can get anything he wants from the Department and is now talking a new school house. I venture to say that this school and equipments including the closets is better than 75% of the rural white schools in this district. I am quite sure it was a mistake to change the truant officer as he has now a number of the Indian families against him and to use his own words "are boycotting him." The very man (the Chief,) he appointed truant officer was up at my office last week along with Frank Decaire, another Indian, of the Reserve, wishing to have Jones removed as teacher but would like to retain his services as preacher as he has put them into debt by purchasing a $500.00 imitation pipe organ and I am sure a $150.00 one would have been all that was necessary.

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ACCOUNTANTS
APR 26 1920
BRANCH

Ottawa, April 24, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant regarding the repairs which the teacher stated in his annual report were needed to be made to the closets and school building on the Gibson Reserve.

In reply I beg to say that it is considered, in view of your report, that screened approaches are not required. It might be well to give the closets a coat of lime whitewash inside and this wonk should be done at very little expense. If you consider it advisable to do so, you may have the closets whitewashed inside. The work should be done by one of the Indians.

It would not appear necessary to provide a well for the school, in view of the fact that there are three wells near the school from which water can be obtained.

The Department is not prepared to have a new floor placed in the school at the present time.

You should furnish an estimate of the cost of having the inside of the building painted, stating the cost of the paint required and the amount it would cost to have the painting done.

The desks supplied this school in September, 1911, were ordered from The E. N. Moyer Co., Limited, Toronto, and consisted of 4 No. 5 double individual, 4 No. 4, 2 No. 3 and 2 No. 2, as well as 2 No. 2 rear seats. Any broken parts of the desks could, no doubt, be supplied by this firm and you should ascertain what parts are required and order them and have the desks placed in good repair.

Your

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

ACCOUNTANTS
APR 26 1920
BRANCH

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Your remarks regarding the truant officer and the night school have been noted.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Mission House,
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Sahanatien P.O., Ont.

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2	Only Hanging Lamps, Tin Shades	8033	7.80	15.60	
	Packing			.40	
					$16.00

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$16.00
H.S. Feb. 18/20.
J.J.

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Mission House

Gibson Reserve

Sahanatien P.O., Ont.

April 22,1920.

REPORT NO.... .....

MINUTE NO..... .....

J.D.McLean Esq.,

Dr. Sir

I have been compelled to close down the night school.

The enclosed are the items of expenditure which you advised me to forward.

	2 Hanging lamps with accessories....	16.00
	Extra accessories	1.30
	Express on Package from Hamilton....	.30
	2 crates (express).....	.55
	Registered Letter for Lamps.....	.08
Jan.24th.	Cartage of goods Bala to Sub.S.....	2.50
	1 oil can & chain to hang lamps.....	2.35
	1lock &c. for school-house &)	
	1 broom for janitor...).....	2.05
	coal oil, about 1½ gals.....	.53
	Total .....$	25.66

P.S. I trust I did right in purchasing broom & lock.

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd) William E. Jones.

The oil I used out of my own barrel about amount named. WEJ.

Authorized by letter of Feby/2/20 File 22-1-1

The above articles were authorized in order that teachers could conduct a night school in the Gibson School bldg. Prices fair and just.

(Sgd) J.D.Sutherland.

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R. R. Station Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ontario

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Via C.P.R. Prepaid Car No. .....

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Our Order No. 5507

Your Order No.

WATERLOO, ONT., April 13, 1920

SOLD TO Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Form 151 SHIPPED BY TERMS

540086

Shipped to Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ontario.

REPORT NO.....
MINUTE NO.....

To 1 #120 Teacher's Desk.....		$20.00
	Less 10%.....	2.00
		$18.00

E. & O. E.

above purchase authorized
& order has been delivered. Prices fair
and just.
P. Phelan
May 10/1920

Desk Received May 10-1920

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Mission House
Gibson Reserve
Sahamatien P.O.
Ont.
June 9th 1920.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 14 1920
RECORDS

J. D. McLean Esq.

541725

Sir In reference to School Material, Furniture &c now at Sub-School here which you authorized me to store for further use,

I beg to advise you that I have endeavored to do this.

The Chief, however, desires it to be left where it is until next Fall.

I told him I would ask your permission.

Will that be satisfactory to you?

Waiting your Reply,

I am, Sir,

Yours Faithfully

William L. Jones.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 15 1920

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Ottawa, June 15, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th instant with reference to the storing of the school material, furniture, etc., at the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve.

In reply I beg to say that this material and furniture can remain in the Chief's house, but you should inform the Chief that he will be held responsible for its safekeeping until required for further use. The Department would like you to be good enough to forward an inventory of the school material and furniture on hand and left in charge of the Chief.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

William E. Jones, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien P.O., Ont.

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Re No 22-1-5
Dated. June 15. 1920.

Mission House
Gibson Reserve.
Explanation P. O.
Via Baden Ont.
June 21st 1920.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 23 1920
RECORDS

J. D. McLean Esq.

Sir I In reference to yours of 15th inst I beg to inform you that I have notified the Chief by letter of the purport of your letter & herewith give you a List of Goods left at Sub-School in his care. Yours Faithfully

William-L. Jones.

School Material and Government Property.

Number		Number	
2	Blue Composition	3	Exercise Bks
1	Dictionaries	1	Bks on War
5	Primers	6	Bibles
5	1st Readers	2	Num. Frames
4	2nd "	6	Rulers
1	3rd "	6	Dz. Books
1	4th "	Few	Needles
1	Arithmetic	2	Boxes Points
2	Geography	1	Easrk & Ropler
1	Grammar		
Few Box	Chalk		
3	Boxes Crayons		
10	Blank N.S. Books (unruled)		
Few	Pen Points		
6	Penholders		
12	Slates		
2	Lesson Cards		
2	Maps		
1	Story of Br. People		
1	Can. History		
1	Eng. "		
3	Spellers		
1	Hygiene		
2	1st Gold, R. Bks		
2	2nd "		
1	3rd "		
2	Lead Pencils		
1	Rubbers		
Little	Ink		
2	Paper Manuals		
6	1st Ont Nd. Crse		
1	2nd "		
1	Calisthenics		
Few	Blott. Paper		

Number		Number	
		2	Blk Bd Erasers
		1	Blk Board
		1	Arm Chair
		1	Desk Bell
		1	Table
		2	Ink Pellets
		2	Ink Pots
		3	Single Desks fitted with Wells.

William-L. Jones.

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22-1-5

Ottawa, June 24, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant containing a list of the school material abd government property at the sub-school on the Gibson Reserve and which has been placed in charge of the Chief until required for further use.

In reply I beg to thank you for this list of material and government property.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

William E. Jones, Esq.,
Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Sahanatien P.O., Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Parry Sound

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 22-1-5
April 24/20
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

July 7th. 1920

A.H.S.A 542697

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 9 1920
RECORDS

Sir,—

In reply to above I beg to report to you that to paint the inside of the school house at Gibson Reserve and whitewash the insede of closets, it will take $30 for material and $25 for labor. Total $55. I think this is all that will be necessary to put this school in good shape. I can get an Indian to do the work and would recommend that the above be done during the vacation.

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUL 10 1920

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22-1-5

Ottawa, July 10, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th instant furnishing an estimate of the cost of painting the inside of the school-house on the Gibson Reserve and whitewashing the inside of the closets.

In reply I beg to say that you may arrange to have this work done. You should purchase the material required and arrange with an Indian competent to do the work to carry out the painting and whitewashing. Before purchasing the material, you should obtain competitive prices for the supplies required and purchase from the dealer quoting the lowest price. The cost of the material should not exceed your estimate of $30.00 and the labour should not exceed $25.00.

As soon as this work is completed you should furnish properly certified accounts, in duplicate, covering the cost pf the material and labour.

Kindly give this matter your early attention, in order that this work can be done during the present summer vacation.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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REPORT NO. 300

MINUTE NO.

No. of Account 123 Parry Sound

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Wm. Beatty Co. Town.

DATE		AMOUNT
1920	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated July 10/20	
	To material as per account enclosed	$29.20

6502
Sent Dec 22/20

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Parry Sound

Dec 1920

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

MEMO- Covering Purchase of Supplies, the Cost of which exceeds $10.00.

SUPPLIES for which prices obtained including QUANTITIES.

4. Gal. White Paint
2 Brushes
and alabastine
for painting inside of School House and Closets—

NAME of Firms or Person asked to Quote.

McKinley Hardware	Co. Parry Sound	6.50 per Gl
A M Fenn	Co - "	" 7.10 per gal
Wm Beatty	Co - "	" 6.50 " "

NAME of Firm or Person quoting lowest price, giving price quoted.

Wm Beatty Co	@ 6.50 per gallon	— 26.00
and some sundries. Brushes &c		3.20

Alexander Logan
Indian Agent

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M Dept. Indian Affairs.
Gibson School

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Aug.	13	4 gal. White Paint	26	00	✓		
		1 tin Black		25	✓		
		1 qt. Turps.		85	✓		
		2 Brushes	1	00	✓		
		1 Alabastine		60	✓		
		Gibson Reserve Acct				28	70 ✓
	14	1 W. W. Brush					50
						29	20 ✓

OK
A.E.O.

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No. of Account 123 Parry Sound

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Eli Commandant & John White Jr.,

DATE		AMOUNT
1920	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated July 10/20	
	To labor as per account enclosed	$35.00

6501
Sent Dec 22/20

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 20 1920
RECORDS

Parry Sound

14th. 19 20

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 22-1-5
July 10/20
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH
DEC 21 1920

Sir,—

I beg to enclose to you accounts for labor and material for painting school house and closets(inside) Gibson School. The labor has cost more than my estimate. The Indians who did the work want $55.00. I told them I would recommend $35.00 in full for labor as I might get a painter from Parry Sound to do it for that price. I would recommend that they be paid this amount.

Trusting same may meet with your approval,

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept.of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

a/c 123

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
Accountant.
APPROVED.

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REPORT NO. 322

MINUTE NO.

No. of Account 123

Parry Sound

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Alexander Logan, Town.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 152195/4 dated Feb.9th/21.	
	For Gibson Reserve School	
	To goods as per accounts enclosed	$10.73

7893.
Dept 25/2/21

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 23 1921
RECORDS

Parry Sound

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152195/4
ALSO
Feb. 9th/21
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Feb. 21st. 1921

Sir,—

I beg to enclose to you account and vouchers for supplies forwarded to Sahanatien School as per above letter amounting to $10.73. I could not send any sooner as there were no slates in town.

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Sent 25/2/21.
a/c 123

APPROVED,

Accountant.

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MAY 10 1921
BROCK.DIS

Extract from Teacher's Annual Report ~~fxxxthxxyxxx~~ on the Gibson Indian School for the year ended March 31, 1921.

160370-27F. ONTARIO

Fence, window panes, door locks, woodshed lock, desks, and seats need repairs or new ones.

MAY 10 1921
SCHOOLS B

Mary A. Black.

Teacher

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Ottawa, May 12, 1921

Sir,-

In her annual report on the Gibson Indian Day School, the teacher states that the fence, window panes, door lock, woodshed lock and seats require repairs.

Kindly inform the Department the extent of the repairs required and also furnish an estimate of the cost of doing same.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean.
Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Alex. Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound,
ONT.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 6 1921
RECORDS

Ottawa, 6th Oct 1921

Memo: Gt P

Schools.

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Chief Strength of Gibson Res. called at the Dept. to-day and reported that the following repairs, articles &c. required for the main School:—

2 panes of Glass
5 & 6 desks to be repaired
inside of the school room re-painted
stove & stove-pipes cleaned.

The chief states that the School is closed by the teacher owing to the broken panes of glass.

Chas A Cooke

SCHOOLS BRANCH
OCT 8 1921

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22-1-5.

OTTAWA, October 8th, 1921.

Sir, -

Relative to your conversation while in the Department regarding certain repairs required to the Gibson Indian Day School, I will be pleased if you will arrange to have the following repairs attended to, viz:

2 panes of glass to be repaired, the 5 or 6 desks repaired and the stove and stove pipes cleaned.

You should forward your account, in duplicate, to Mr. Superintendent Logan, Parry Sound, who is being informed of the authority granted to you to have these repairs made and who will be requested to certify the accounts when received and forward them to the Department for payment. I will be pleased if you will attend to the above repairs as soon as possible.

Regarding the painting of the inside of school room, I beg to say that this matter will have to stand over until next summer.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Chief Peter Strength,
Sahanatien P.O.,
Ont.

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22-1-5.

OTTAWA, October 10th, 1921.

Sir, -

Chief Strength, of the Gibson Reserve, who visited the Department recently, states that the following repairs are required to the Gibson Indian Day School building, viz:

2 panes of glass and 5 or 6 desks to be repaired and stove and stove pipes cleaned.

The Chief has been authorized to have these repairs attended to and to forward to you his account, in duplicate, which, upon receipt, you will be good enough to certify and transmit to the Department in order that payment can be made.

The Chief also requested that the inside of the school room be painted, but he has been informed that this matter will have to stand over until next summer. I will be pleased if, at a later date, you will forward particulars as to the painting and the probable cost of the same.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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REQUISITION FOR SCHOOL MATERIAL

For Wathan School on Gibson Reserve

Reserve in Agency

Date Oct 3rd 1921

ARTICLES	No. on Hand	Date of last Receipt	No. Required	No. Authorized	REMARKS
2 Locks & Keys					one for woodshed one for porch
Seats repaired					
Teacher's desk repaired					
2 panes of glass Putty for windows					
Foundation of school repaired					
Hinges repaired or new ones					
Wood for sidewalk to boys closet & for repairs as well Nails Glass for King's picture					

Address to which above supplies are to be sent:

Name Mary A Black

School Lakanatien Watha

Post Office (nearest) Lakanatien

Express Office (nearest) Bala

Province Ont

There repairs may be purchased in Bala if time will allow and not cause unnecessary delay

Number of Pupils on Roll 27

do in 1st Standard 9

do in 2nd do 10

do in 3rd do 4

do in 4th do 3

do in 5th do 1

do in 6th do

NOTE.—To avoid delay and correspondence in filling Requisitions, the teacher should give full particulars regarding each article required. The name series, number of grade and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

Mary A Black
Teacher.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial schools.

Indian Supt. or Agent.

A separate form to be used for each school.

Form No. 99.

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Gibson Reserve
Oct-10-1921

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Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Gentlemen

This letter informs you that I closed school Friday morn Sept 31st and that school was closed all last week and Monday of this week. opening again Tuesday 11th of October.

The reason for this is that it was absolutely necessary to have school repaired and cleaning done all of which should have been attended to during summer holidays When I returned in September nothing had been done except the weeds had been

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EXTRACT
ON
14-22

out in the school yard
I started in to teach Tuesday
after Labor Day into a dirty
school and repair to desks
seats windows panes
out door repairs not done
No caretaker on the job.
The former caretaker
Mr Laforce was offered
forty dollars but refused
to take it for less than fifty
dollars. However he was
away up to Port Carling
all summer and did not
return till after I came back
so he could not attend to
the school cleaning during
the holidays. The son Philip
Laforce was at home but they
did nothing.
The caretaker did not the
slightest repairs in school
or out. so when things got broken
accidentally sometimes a little
repair might have saved them
from going too far.

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Leaf 2-

Of course I know the caretaker did not get enough pay for the amount of work he had to do in connection with the school. so he can hardly be condemned for not doing any extras.

Mr. Dewasha has undertaken the repairing & cleaning of the school and repairing outside Everything is not complete yet- but there is enough done to begin school on Tuesday.

I will send for the Expense Bill later on. when more work is completed -

The repairing & cleaning did not begin in the beginning of the week for Mr Dewasha did not wish to undertake the work till he got authority so he saw the Chief Monday & Chief told him to start in on Wednesday. but he had to go to Bala for things and so could not begin till later and so cleaning could not start till

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Saturday as pipes & chimney had to be cleaned first- besides other repairs-

Mr Dimosha will take over the job of caretaker for the sum of Fifty dollars a year, but will not take it for less.

Personally I think the job is worth that- amount of money per year.

He will look after the school for the present- till a caretaker is hired for 25 cts a day- If he is hired as a caretaker at the sum of fifty dollars- this charge of 25 cts a day will not be reckoned to his account-

May I be allowed the privilege of suggesting that- when the caretaker is hired. he to be given specific- definite directions as to his duties- among these that- a pail of fresh water be put into school every morning and also that- the fuel

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buildings be carefully inspected & kept- in a sanitary way. and that- that be inspected often and in co-operation with teacher and pupils we all try to help!

I would like some law to be enacted to the Band whereby they would be under obligation not- to spit- around either in church or in the school house when they meet- for any social or business function things along that- line have improved but- the improvement is not- thorough yet-.

I have spoken about- it- and I have tried to have it stopped but- I want- this reform to be thoroughly rooted into them.

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I would request the Dept of Indian Affairs not to deduct anything off my teaching days owing to school being closed as it was work which should have been done during holidays It is a lesson to have things done at the right time. and thus save time and money-

Respectfully Yours
Mary A Black.

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22-1-5.

OTTAWA, October 14th, 1921.

Madam, -

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, informing the Department that you had to close the Gibson Indian Day School for several days on account of repairs being made.

In reply I beg to say that your action in this instance is approved, but I would point out that the Department does not desire teachers to close schools during the regular teaching period, unless for urgent reasons. Salary will be allowed you, but you should state on your quarterly return the days school was closed, and the reason therefor.

Regarding the appointment of a caretaker, I beg to say that Chief Strength, who visited the Department recently, recommended the appointment of Xavier Laforce. The Department has approved of his appointment, with salary at the rate of $50.00 per annum, payable quarterly. The Chief was requested to inform Laforce of his appointment, and to also inform him that it is expected he will perform his duties satisfactorily, and besides the ordinary duties of caretaker he is to provide the drinking water required for the use of the school, and that he is to sweep the class room after school hours instead of in the mornings.

Chief Strength was also instructed to have the following repairs made, viz:

2 panes of glass put in, desks repaired, stove and stove pipes cleaned.

The painting of the inside of the school will have to remain over until next summer.

It is noted that you have arranged with Mr. Dewasha to undertake the work of repairing and cleaning. You may also arrange with him to have 2 locks, with keys, installed; one on the wood shed and the other on the porch; also the hinges repaired, or new ones put on, and also have any repairs required made to the side walk to the boys' closet.

I will be pleased if you will keep a careful account of all expenditures for the purpose, and forward these accounts, in duplicate, to Mr. Superintendent Logan, who will certify the same and send them to the Department when, if satisfactory, payment will be made.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Miss Mary A. Black,
Teacher, Gibson Indian
Day School,
Sahanatien,
Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Isiah Dewasha, Gibson Reserve.

DATE		AMOUNT
1921	Authorized by Dept. letter No 114-22 dated Oct 18/21	
	To labor and supplies as per account enclosed	$15.03

2591
Sent Dec 5/21.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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INDIAN OFFICE

Ref.

Duplicate

At Sahamadakee

Oct 24 1921

account for work done and things bought to repair the school house. seats: desks and windows

3. days work at 3.00		9.00
floor scrubbed		3.00
Temporally care taken		1.00
ofe bought for repairs		2.03
	total	15.03

Isaiah Dewaska

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 1 1921
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

....Parry Sound.....

Nov.29th.....1921

Sir,—

R

I beg to enclose to you account and vouchers for labor and supplies at Gibson Reserve School, in favor of Isiah Dewasha and would recommend that same be paid.

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Logan

Indian Supt.

The Secretary.

Dept.of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
2/12/21

ACCOUNTANTS' BRANCH
DEC 5 1921

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 25 1922
RECORDS

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Feb 23/4.22.

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Dear Sir

I owned like to know about the first cheque that was send to me was it for the rent of the house for the Sub Schools.

Please let me know soon as possibe.

Yours truly

Miss M. Strong

ACCOUNTANTS
FEB 27 1922
BRANCH

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Ottawa, February 27, 1922.

Madam,- EXD

In reply to inquiry in your letter of the 23rd instant, I have to inform you that official cheque No.365 for $105.00, which was sent you, covered your salary from the 1st of December, 1920, to the 30th April, 1921. Cheque No.3660 for $78.75, which you received, covered payment of your salary from the 21st November, 1921, to the 31st January, 1922.

Your obedient servant,

J.D.McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss M. Strength,
Sahanatien P.O.,
Ont.

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Sahanatien P.O.
Ont

Mr. C. [redacted] Mackenzie

April 3rd. 1922.

Dear Sir -

I would like to have the rent that's coming to me for having the school in my house you promised to pay me $8.00 a month ~~$00~~ $8 please send it as soon as possible as I need the money

Chief Peter Stonefish

Sch'ld No 1 - Jan 31/22
Payment for Sch'l house

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Vote No.....

Treaty No.....

Department of Indian Affairs

To Peter Strength,

Sahanatien P.O., Ont.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT
Mar.	31	To rent of house for school purposes for the sub-school on the Gibson reserve and supplying fuel and caretaking from Nov. 21/21 to Feb. 28/22 at $8.00 per month	$26 66
		A sub-school was in operation during the above period in connection with the Gibson school. It was carried on in the Chief's house and the Department agreed to pay the above rate for rent, fuel and caretaking. Price charged fair and just and according to agreement.	
		Sent April 10/22. 4388	
		TOTAL,	$26 66

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the ... fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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Agent.

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22-1-5.

OTTAWA, April 8th, 1922.

Dear Chief, -

Replying to your letter of the 3rd instant regarding the payment of the rent, heating and caretaking of your house for the period the sub-school was carried on by your daughter during the past winter, I beg to say that a cheque for $26.66, being the amount due for this purpose at the rate of $8.00 per month, is being sent you under separate cover. This school opened on the 21st of November and was in operation until the end of February - a period of 4 months and 10 days.

Payment of your daughter's salary has been made to January 31st, last, only. She should prepare and forward a return showing the number of days taught and the attendance during the month of February, when payment will be made. She should forward this return at once. The Department was informed that this school was closed at the end of February, and it would, therefore, appear that there is another month's salary due your daughter for her services, which will be paid upon receipt of the return asked for.

Salary pd to Feby 28/22 also bonus

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Chief Peter Strength,
Sahanatien P.O.,
Ont.

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Schamatien P.O.
Ont
Apil 13th 1922.

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APR 15 1922
RECORDS

Wm. Russell J. Ferrier

Dear Sir:-

You wanted to know when the sub-school opened in our Reserve they started on the seventh of November until the Twenty eight of February. I would like to have the rent as soon as possible as I need need. So please send it From the 7th of November and closed on the 25th of February. I have waited long enough.

Mrs Peter Strength

Rent sent
Apl 10/22

SCHOOLS BRANCH
APR 18 1922

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF INSPECTOR SCOVELL
ON THE GIBSON INDIAN DAY SCHOOL, DATED MARCH 7th, 1922

Original on File 152195-6.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 20 1922
RECORDS

"All in good condition except the closets.
These are in need of painting, and there is
one door off."

SCHOOLS BRANCH
APR 21 1922

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22-1-5.

OTTAWA, April 21st, 1922.

Sir, -

Mr. Scovell, Public School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Gibson Indian Day School, states that the closets are in need of painting, and that there is one door off.

I have to request that you will arrange to have the repairs made to the door, and it should be re-hung.

Regarding the painting, you should forward an estimate of the cost of having this work done. It is considered that an Indian could do the work and that the expense would be small. We will await your report on this matter before authorizing having the closets painted.

These matters should receive your early attention.

R.T.F.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Alexander Logan, Esq.,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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22-1-5.

OTTAWA, July 19th, 1922.

Sir, -

Cr no 47 this file JS

I have to acknowledge the receipt of a requisition which you forwarded from the teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that the school books and lead pencils asked for are being ordered from the Government Stationery Office to be sent to the teacher's address.

I shall be pleased if you will purchase and have delivered to the teacher 1 granite pail, 2 granite drinking cups and 1 broom.

The teacher states that some repairs are needed to the roof of the school building, and also to the boys' closet, 2 window panes are required and the windows puttied, and some repairs are also required to the seats.

I shall be pleased if you will arrange with an Indian, or other person competent to do the work, to have the repairs required to the roof carried out; the boys' closet repaired and put in good condition; window panes required put in, and, where required, the windows should be puttied. The seats of the classroom should also be repaired.

Kindly have this work attended to during the present summer vacation in order that the school building and closets will be in good condition when the school re-opens.

We are not prepared to have a well dug and a pump put in at the present time.

Your obedient servant,

D. C. MacKenzie,
for Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Alex Logan, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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22-1-5.

OTTAWA, August 15th, 1922.

Sir: -

I beg to refer you to official letter of July 19th, in which you were requested to have certain repairs made to the Gibson Indian Day School, also to the toilets at the school.

I shall be pleased if you will inform the Department as to whether these repairs have been carried out or not. It is necessary that they be completed before the school re-opens after the present summer holidays.

I may further add that Miss Black will continue as teacher during the next school year.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Alex. Logan, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 23 1922
RECORDS

.....Parry Sound.....

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 22-1-5
Aug. 17/22.
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

file

August 19th. 19 22.

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Sir,—

In reply to above letter, I beg to say that I instructed the Chief who is the best Indian I could get, to have all the repairs done to the school house completed before the school re-opens in September.

I am,

Your Obedient Servant,

Alexander Taylor

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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REPORT No. 124

MINUTE No.

No. of Account Parry Sound

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

a/c 123

To J. W. Burgess, Merchant, Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
19 22	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
Sept 7	To material as per account enclosed Repairs to School (Gibson)	$15.82

4404 Sept 4/10/22

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Alexander Logan
Agent.

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J.W.Burgess,

General Merchants,

Bala,Ont.

Mr.Alex Logan,

Indian Agent,

Got by,I.Dewasha

4	sq.pariod roofing	12.80
3	1/3 doz.1½" screws	.17
2	" stave bolts ¼x1½	.30
1	lb. putty	1.95
4	lights glass 10x12¼	.60
		$15.82

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KEEP THIS BILL PLEASE CALL AGAIN

Bought of **J. W. BURGESS LIMITED**

GENERAL MERCHANTS

TERMS C[illegible]

Bala, Ont. Aug 30 1922

M Alex Logan
Indian Agent

Sold by Got by D. Dewasha

COPELAND-CHATTERSON SYSTEMS BRAMPTON ONT.

1				
2				
3	4	sq Paroid roofing	12	80
4	3⅓	lg 1½" screws		17
5	2	2 stove Bolts ¼ x 1½		30
6	1	lbs putty	1	95
7	4	lights glass 10 x 12		60
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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 25 1922
RECORDS

Parry Sound

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 22-1.5
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sept. 7th. 19 22

Sir,—

I beg to enclose to you account and vouchers for material supplied by J.W.Burgess, amounting to $15.82 as per above letter.

I am Your Obedient Servant,

Indian Supt.

The Secretary,
Dept.of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

9/c 123

ACCOUNTANT'S
BRANCH

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22-1-5 Office Indian Agent

Parry Sound

Oct-14-[illegible]

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 17 1922
RECORDS

Hon Sir

I beg to report that on my visit to Gibson Reserve my attention was drawn to the bad condition of foundation of School House if allowed to remain as it is it will be too cold for the children in winter months

I estimate the cost of repairs as follows

2 Bags Cement @ ruling prices	
2 days labour @ $3.50 per day	7.00
Cartage cement and sand	2.00

This work should be undertaken before frost sets in

Please advise what action will be taken

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFF.
OCT 17
ARCHITECT.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your obedient Servant
John McDaly
agent

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, October 21, 1922.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 14th inst., with reference to repairs required to the foundation of the school house on Gibson Reserve, I beg to advise you that you are authorized to have the repairs made to the foundation. It is noted that the cost will be approximately $10.00.

Your obedient servant,

(A. F. MACKENZIE)
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound - ONT.

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No. of Account 123

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Gibson Band

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mitchell News
Sahanatien, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1922	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Oct. 21/22.		
	To work done in repairing the school-house foundation at Gibson and cost of material required for same (as per statement attached)	8	50

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Department of Indian Affairs

work done at Sahanatien school house

Ottawa ..... Dec 4th 1922

1 bag cement @ 2 00
cartage of cement 2 00
cartage of Sand 1 00
1 day Labour 3 00
$8 00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M Daly
Agent.

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22-1-5

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 14 1922
RECORDS

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

December 11th., *19*22.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

Nos....., *amounting to $* 8.50

in favour of Mitchell News, Sahanatien, Ont.

for Work done in repairing the Gibson School-house and for material used in same.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* October 21st., 1922.

Your obedient servant,

John McDaly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 3 1923
RECORDS

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Extract from Teacher's Annual Report on the GIBSON School for year ended March 31, 1923. 160370-29F.

ONT.

The school room windows need to be fixed with ropes pulleys and locks so that proper ventilation can be obtained in winter.

The stove needs repair.

The fence needs repair, also roof of school and woodshed.

A well dug.

Mary Ann Black

Teacher.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAY 4 1923

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22-1-5.

CKJ

Ottawa, May 4th, 1923.

Sir:

The teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, in her annual report for the last fiscal year, states that the schoolroom windows need to be fixed with ropes, pulleys and locks in order that proper ventilation can be obtained. She also states that the stove needs repair, and that the fence, roof of school and woodshed require attention.

I shall be pleased if, on the occasion of your next visit to this school, you will enquire into the repairs needed, and inform the Department as to what you would recommend be done. You should also state the probable cost of any work which you suggest should be carried out. If possible, we would like this information before the summer holidays, as, if it is decided to authorize any work, it could be carried out during that period.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 28 1923
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S.527
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

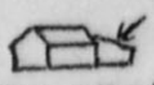
.....Parry..Sound,.Ont..,.....

.....June..20th.,..1923

Sir,—

586077

Answering yours of May 4th. 22-I-5,I have been to Gibson Reserve,andexamined the school and school grounds, also the fencing.I find that the following is required to put the building and fencing in proper condition:

The wood shed,which is attached to main building,thus-  as a lean-to,must be reshingled.The roof of main building must be repaired,a new ridge board put on.The chimney is dangerous and must be practically rebuilt,on outside of building.Part of base-board of main building,must be replaced,as present part is rotten.Both toilets are badly in need of repair,and all building badly in need of paint outside and inside.The school building will require to have about 100 ft.of inside lining replaced. There are two locks required for doors of school,and two latches for toilets.There are 25 posts and one small gate required for fencing.

I think the fencing might be made to do for a year or two,after the new posts are put in.

The work can be done by members of the band,and shingles can be bought at Bala,lime for chimney at Parry Sound,and paint and nails,at Parry Sound.The small gate can be bought at Parry Sound.

Next year this building will require a new floor.I would recommend that repairs be started right away,so that everything will be finished in good time for opening of school in September.

Trusting that this will meet with your approval.

I have the honour to be.

Sir:

Your obedient servant,

John Midaly

Agent.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 25 1923

J.D.McLean Esq.,

Secretary Dept.Indian Affairs,

Ottawa,Ont.

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22-1-5.

S-527.

Ottawa, June 25th, 1923.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 20th instant, furnishing a report as to the repairs required to the school building, woodshed, toilets and fence at the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of the materials required in re-shingling the woodshed, repairing roof, baseboard and inside lining of the school building, also the material required in rebuilding the chimney and for repairing the toilets, and the fence posts and small gate required. If possible competitive prices for all the material should be obtained, and the purchase made from the firm quoting you the lowest price. Properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering the expenditure incurred, to which should be attached a memorandum showing the names of the firms or individuals asked to quote and the prices quoted.

When the material has been delivered, you should arrange with the Indians to perform the labour. We are not sure, from your letter, as to whether they will perform the labour gratis or not. If not, proper time sheets, in duplicate, of all labour employed should be kept, which should be certified by you and forwarded to the Department for payment. We are leaving the above repairs in your hands to carry out as cheaply as possible. The work should be completed during the coming summer holidays.

Regarding the painting of the building, both outside and inside, I shall be pleased if you will furnish an estimate of the cost of the paint, etc., required, and also the cost of the labour in having the work done. We prefer that all work at this school be done by day labour.

As soon as we have an estimate of the cost of painting, we will be in a position to decide whether funds can be provided to carry out the work or not.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 30 1923
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S-542
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound, Ont., June 28 1923

306377

Sir,—

Replying to yours of June 25 22-I-5, I beg to say that all work done on Reserves under my jurisdiction will be done by members of the various bands, as the variues bands have signified their wish to do any work which may have to be done, that is subject to the approval of the Department? All Indians working for the Department want to be paid for work done.

I roughly estimate that the cost of paint and labour of painting the Gibson School house and closets, will not exceed $100.00. While making that estimate, I would respectfully ask the Department to remember that I can't be present to keep tab on the labour, but I believe that the Band can be depended on to see that no time will be lost, so I think that the cost of paint and labour should not exceed $100.00.

These buildings should have been painted semr years ago? In my opinion the Department is saving money in having them done now.

Trusting that this explanation will be satisfactory to the Department.

I have the honour to be.

Sir:

Your obedient servant,

John M Daly

Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

MEMORANDUM.

OK DLC

Mr. Scott.

The Gibson School is in need of painting outside and inside. The Indian Agent has advised that all of the work can be done by employing Indian Labour. The cost would be approximately $100.00.

I beg to recommend that he be authorized to have this work done.

ARCHITECT.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, July 6th, 1923.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of the 28th ulto., with reference to the painting of the Gibson School, I beg to advise you that the Department approves of this work being done, and it is noted that the cost will be approximately $100.00.

It is also noted that Indian labour will be employed in carrying out the work.

In purchasing the materials, you should obtain competitive prices, and purchase from the firm quoting the lowest price.

Your obedient servant.

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 8 1925
RECORDS

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott.

The Gibson School is in need of painting outside and inside. The Indian Agent has advised that all of the work can be done by employing Indian Labour. The cost would be approximately $100.00.

I beg to recommend that he be authorized to have this work done.

ARCHITECT.

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DEPARTMENT Indian Department

LOCAL PURCHASE—ABSTRACT OF TENDERS

Tenders called July 20 1923 by ~~letter~~ Personal ~~phone~~ Due ..... 192 ..... Opened ..... 192 ..... by J. M. Daly

ARTICLES	FIRMS ASKED TO QUOTE					REMARKS
	McKinley	Timms	Beatty			
5 Gal. O S White paint	H 4.75 per gal	H 5.00 per gal	H 5.00 per gal			McKinleys paint
2 Brushes	H 1.13 each	H 1.20 each	H 1.20 each			an good but
1 brush	30¢	30	30			cheaper so
1/2 gal turpentine	H 2.40 per gal	H 2.40 per gal	H 2.40 per gal			order was
1 Can	.20¢	.20¢	.20¢			given to Timm
		For Library Reserve Indian Day School				

UNDERLINE TENDER ACCEPTED AND SHOW TOTAL VALUE OF ORDER GIVEN EACH FIRM

DO NOT USE THIS SPACE

I recommend that lowest tenders, as underlined, which have been accepted, be approved—tenders marked with circle not satisfactory, for reasons given in remarks column.

Signed John M Daly

Dept. of Indian affairs

DATE ..... City or town Parry Sound Province Ontario

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFF
AUG 7 1923
RECORD

ACCOUNTANTS
AUG 8 1923
BRANCH

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....McKinley...Hardware.....

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
	To goods supplied Gibson School		
	(as per statement attached)	66	37

CHEVROLET

TELEPHONE 95

M Indian Agent (Per Jno Daly)

(Chief News - Gibson reserve)

IN ACCOUNT WITH

McKINLEY HARDWARE CO.

GENERAL HARDWARE, STOVES AND TINWARE

July	20	To- 5-gal. O.S. white	23.	75 ✓
		" 1½ " (no. 49.1	6.	75 ✓
		" 1½ " (" . 48)	6.	75 ✓
		" 5-¼ " (inside walls (O.S.)	23.	63 ✓
		" 2 brushes	2.	25 ✓
		" 1 brush	.	30 ✓
		" ½ gal. turp.	1.	20 ✓
		" 1 can	.	20 ✓
		" freight	1.	54 ✓
		Total	$66.	37 ✓

see file 2-2-5

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Agent.

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66.37
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113.86

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sent aug. 10/23.

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Pay
Gds.

RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT

8/18/23

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M Daly
Agent.

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ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH AUG 20 1928

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Weismiller Bros.....

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
August	14	To lumber supplied for repairs Gibson School House (as per statement attached)	26	86

A. WEISMILLER

Department of Indian Affairs Ottawa.

M.....

H. WEISMILLER

3

AMOUNT.....August 14.....192...

Ordered by

ACCOUNT WITH

Mr John Darby, Parry Sound

WEISMILLER BROS.

MANUFACTURERS OF

ROUGH AND DRESSED LUMBER

TERMS.....

for Gibson Reserve. School House

DATE	O.No	DESCRIPTION	FOLIO	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALA
Aug 3		3½ M 3 x B C Cedar Shingles @ 6.50		22 75 ✓		
		34 L ft 1-5 Pine D4 = 17				
		368 " 1-6 " = 184 32.00		2 56 ✓		
		28 Brick @ 35		1 07 ✓		
		1 Jbe 1-6-12 Pine D = 6 @ 80		48 ✓		
				26 86 ✓		

Prices

JWS.

These prices are special to the Agency

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ACCOUNTANT

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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT

Pay

ACCOUNTANT

20/8/23

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M Daly

Agent.

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22-1-5 Ash Vole

Return of Labour on the Repairs and painting Gibson School, and fixing of fence.

For week ended Aug. II-I8-25-Sept. I **1923**

All payments to be made in presence of person signing as witness.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 4 1923
RECORDS

Over

NAMES	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.	No. days worked	Price per day	Amount of wages	RECEIVED PAYMENT
James News	IO	IO	IO	IO	IO	5	5½	4 00	22 00	✓
Daniel Commandent				2	IO	5	I	4 00	6 80	✓
James News	IO	IO	IO	IO	IO	IO	6	4 00	24 00	✓
Daniel Commandent	IO	IO	IO	IO	IO	IO	6	4 00	24 00	✓
James News	IO		5	5	IO		3	4 00	I2 00	✓
Daniel Commandent	IO		5	5	IO		3	4 00	I2 00	✓
James News	5		IO	IO	5		3	4 00	I2 00	✓
Daniel Comment	IO		IO	IO	5		3½	4 00	I4 00	✓

Aug 18

Aug 25

Sept 1

James Moses total 126 80
Dan'l Commandent " 2392 70.00
3 56.80

ACCOUNTANTS
SEP 8 1923
BRANCH

Sch Vote
Pay as above
5-1923

I hereby certify that the services have been performed and that ✓ fair and just.

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No. of Account.....

Sch date

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SEP 4 1923
RECORDS

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....Isaiah Dewasha.....

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
Sept.	1	For cartage for supplies for Gibson School (as per statement attached)	5	00

Sahanatien P.O.,Gibson Reserve,
August 31st. 1923.

Isaiah Dewasha

In Acc't with Dept.Indian Affairs,

To cartage of shingles & paint for Indian Day School,Gibson Reserve.
One trip to Bala $5.00

JWD

Sch date

EXAMINED FOR PAYMENT

Pay.....

JWD 5/9/23

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS SEP 10 1923 RECORDS

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....J. W. Burgess.....

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
Aug	28	To paint supplied for painting of Gibson School (as per statement attached)	I9	60

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

ACCOUNT No. LETTER | FOLIO

BALA, ONT., August 31-23 192

M..... Mr. J.M.Dale
Indian Sup't'dy
Parry Sound

IN ACCOUNT WITH

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, PAINTS AND OILS
HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS AND CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

ACCOUNTANTS SEP 11 192 BRANCH

Aug	24	2 Galls White Paint @1 20		
	28	1/2 Gal No.562 "	$2 80	
		1 Gall. White Paint	$5 60	
			M$	19.60

Paid 24/9/23

This paint was required over and above what I sent To have school finished in Township Sundridge Bala

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Agent.

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DA... AMOUNT

Aug

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SEP 10 1928
RECORDS

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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT

John McDaley
Agent.

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(Original on 22-1-4.)

8628.

Ottawa, September 25th, 1923.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant, enclosing a requisition for supplies for the Gibson Indian Day School.

With reference to the 6 desks required, kindly state if single or double desks are needed. You should also state the name of the manufacturer of the desks at present in the school, and the ages of the pupils for whom the new desks are required. As soon as this information is received, an order will be placed.

Regarding the 24 kindergarten books, the teacher should state definitely the books he requires, and they will be ordered by the Department.

The other articles on the requisition are being ordered from the Government Stationery Office.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Fernier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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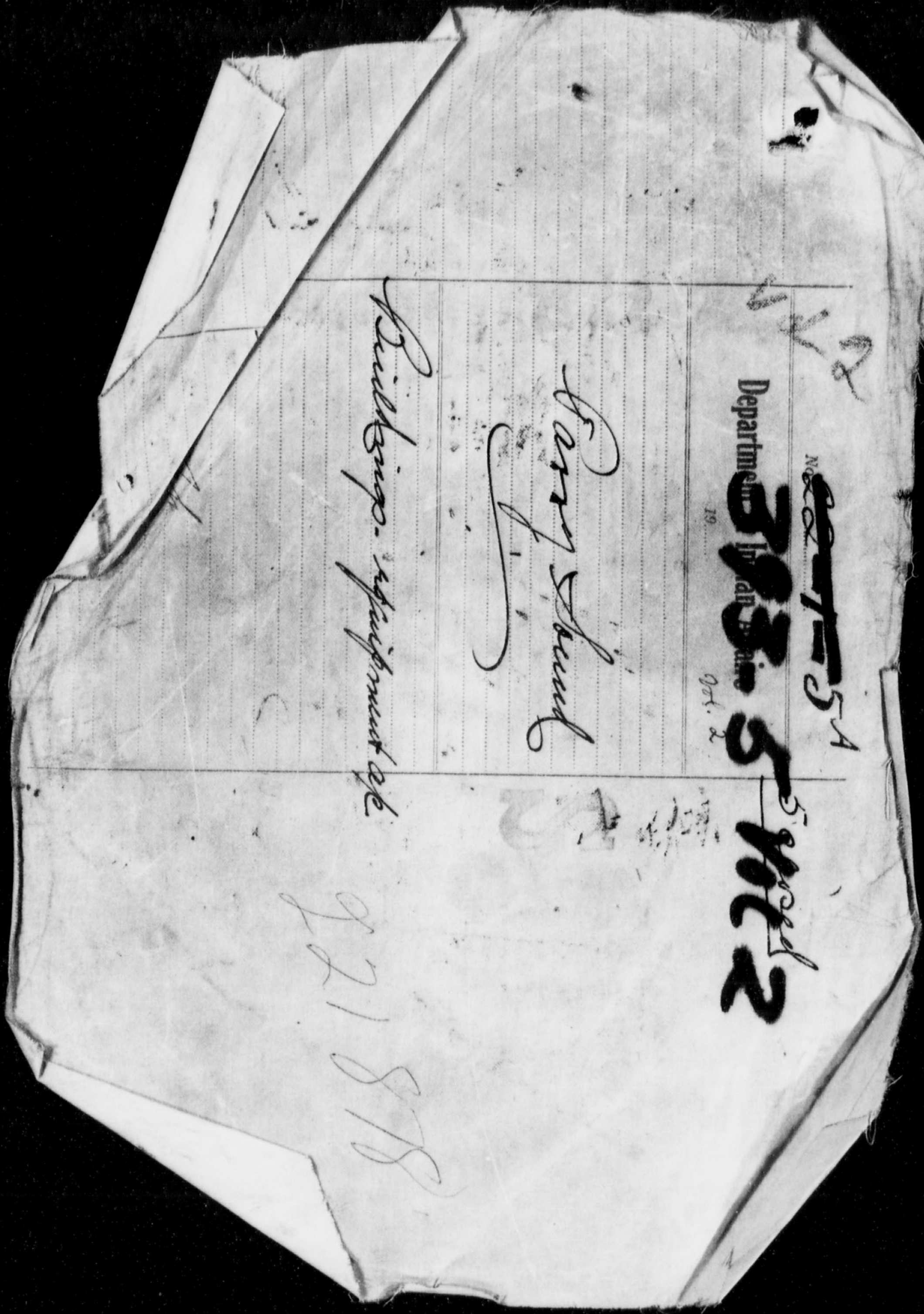
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mitchell News.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 5 1923
BRANCH

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To goods supplied for school (as per statement attached)	$9 55

ACCOUNTANTS
OCT 9 1923
BRANCH

Department of Indian Affairs,
In Account with Mitchell News.
Gibson Reserve.

I bag cement for school	.90
I front door set for school	3.25
100 ft. inside sheeting for school	3.95
Stables for fencing for school grounds	.40
Shingles & Nails	1.05
	9.55

2863 8/10/23
sent 8/10/23

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RECOMMENDED FOR PAYMENT
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6/10/23

John M Daly
Agent.

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No. of Account Sch Vote

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 6 1923
RECORDS

To Jackson an d Limbert

DATE			AMOUNT
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-4 dated Aug. 14	
Sept.	21	To slates for Gibson School (as per statement attached)	$6 85

JACKSON & LIMBERT

...Druggists...

Parry Sound, Ont. Sept 21 1923

Mr Daly, Indian Agent.

11	Small Slates	15	1 75
11	Medium Slates	30	3 30
2	Large Slates	40	80
			6 85

3

Lawson & Jones Ltd., London, Ont.

2993
sent 12/10/23.

Sch Vote

APPROVED FOR PAYMENT
Paid
Jno
10/10/23

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John McDaly
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 11 1923
RECORDS

Parry Sound, Ont., Oct. 9 1923

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S-647
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

Reply | Replying to yours of Sept.25 22-I-4, I beg to report that the desks in the school at Gibson Reserve are the New Empire Sanitary Desks. It is the desire of the Band that the new desks should be single. The kindergarden books - 2nd - required, are for beginners with the picture in them.

Mr. Steed has no catalogue, but says that they are something below the Ontario Reader Primer, and I understand that I can get them here in ParrybSound.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory.

I have the honourtto be.

Sir:

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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S-647.

Ottawa, October 15th, 1923.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 9th instant, regarding the desks required for the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that the teacher asks for 6 double desks, and it is noted that you recommend that single desks be supplied. Kindly state whether it will be necessary to supply only six single desks, or whether 12 single desks are required, in order to provide the same seating accommodation as the 6 double desks asked for by the teacher.

When the sub-school was in operation during the winter months several desks were supplied for the use of this school. There was also a quantity of school material supplied. As this school will not likely be in operation, it is thought that the desks could be transferred to the Gibson school, and, if this were done, it might obviate the necessity of purchasing more desks. All school material, which was on hand when the school closed, should be transferred and used at the Gibson school.

If it is absolutely necessary to purchase desks for the Gibson school, you should state the sizes and number of each size required. Desks are manufactured in the following sizes, viz: -

No. 1 - Adults,
2 - Pupils 16-20 years,
3 - " 12-18 " ,
4 - " 9-14 " ,
5 - " 6-10 " ,
6 - " 5-8 " .

You should ascertain from the teacher the number and sizes of the desks required, as per the above. You should also give full shipping directions. As soon as we have information regarding the disposal of the desks that were on hand when the sub-school was closed, and the sizes of any other desks required, we will then be able to place the order.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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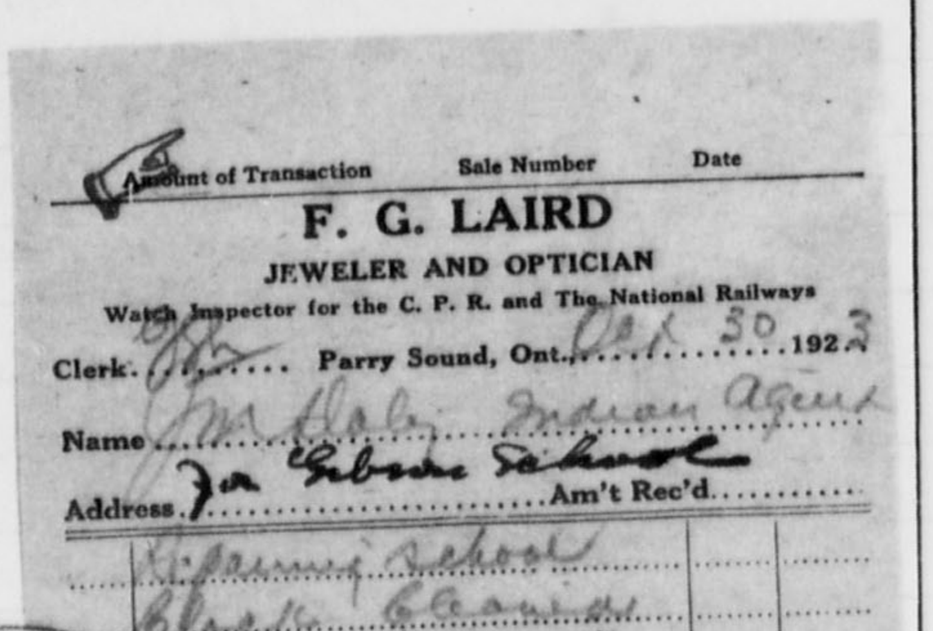
The Department of Indian Affairs,

Acct

To F.G.Laird

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 2 1923
RECORDS

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
Oct	30	To repairs of Gibson School clock (as per statement attached)	$4	75



Amount of Transaction Sale Number Date

F. G. LAIRD

JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

Watch Inspector for the C. P. R. and The National Railways

Clerk..... Parry Sound, Ont. Oct 30 1923

Name Mr Daly Indian Agent

Address To Gibson School ..... Am't Rec'd.....

	Repairing clock	
	Cleaning	
	new pendulum rod and ball	
23	2 new keys supplied	4 75

Printed figures at top of slip show amount paid or charged.

Press of The National Cash Register Co., Dayton, Ohio.

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AUDITOR
RECEIVED
NOV 2 1923
ACCOUNTANT

Sale Note

APPROVED FOR PAYMENT
ACCOUNTANT

Paid Nov 3/11/23

7/23

Sent 9/11

3547

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John M. Daly
Agent.

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6 1923
RECORDS

INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S-669
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound, Ont.,

Nov. 3 1923

Sir,—

Replying to yours of Oct. I5th. 22-I-5, I have been to Gibson and discussed the matter of desks with the teacher Mr. Steeds.

6 = I sup. 15-18
6 = I2-14

There were only 3 desks at the sub school fit for use, these are now at the Gibson school. There are still I2 desks required, No. 3. Pupils ages I2. I8. The other supplies have been taken to Gibson school.

I might state that Mr. Steeds has provided packing cases, and one small table, to accomodate the pupils at the Gibson school.

I am sure if the Department understands the situation, they will have seats shipped right away.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory.

I have the honour to be.
Sir:
Your obedient servant,
John. M. Daly
Agent.

Balance of desks in ref. from this Agency to Gibson school manufactured by Preston Furn. Co.

J.D. McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, Nov. 13th, 1923.

Gentlemen:

Please quote your lowest price F.O.B. Bala, Ont., for the supplying of the following school desks, viz:

6 Single School Desks, for pupils 15-18 years, - No 1
6 " " " " " 12-14 " . No 3

Your early reply will oblige,

Yours very truly,

59.d F. H. Paget

F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd.,
PRESTON, Ont.

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S-669.

22-1-5.

Ottawa, Nov. 13th, 1923.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 3rd instant, I beg to inform you that we are obtaining prices for the supplying of the 12 desks required for the use of the Gibson Indian Bay School.

As soon as we have this information, you will be advised when the order has been placed.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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NOW SUPPLIED WITH OUR

Ball Bearing Automatic Desk

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In this new model you will observe that the standards are perfectly plain and smooth, offering no receptacle or harbors for objectionable dust and cleaning is made comparatively easy.

These standards will in future be substituted for the old style with no increase in price.

The Canadian Office & School Furniture Company, Limited

PRESTON, ONTARIO

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The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.
LIMITED

CABLE CO[illegible]SKS"
TELEGRAP[illegible]ODES
A.B.C. 4[illegible]TION
WESTERN UNION

Preston, Ont. November 17th, 1923.

Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,- 22 - 1 - 5.

Bala, Ontario.

Replying to your letter of the 13th inst., we beg to quote you on six No. 1 B. B. A. single desks $7.20 each and on six No. 3 B. B. A. single desks $6.95 each, for desks shipped K.D., F.O.B. Bala, Ont. If the desks are required to be shipped set up and crated we can do so at an additional charge of .30¢ per desk.

Hoping to be favoured with your esteemed order for the above to which we can give very prompt attention, we are,

Yours very truly,

THE CANADIAN OFFICE AND
SCHOOL FURNITURE CO., LIMITED

Sec'y-Treas.

Secretary-Treasurer.

GF/N

SCHOOLS BRANCH. NOV 19 1923

7 20
43.20

1.7
43 20
84.9
3.6 set up
88.5

2 sets slide
saskatoon

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Ottawa, Nov. 19, 1923.

Gentlemen:

Replying to your letter of the 17th instant, I beg to inform you that your quotation for the twelve single desks, required for delivery at Bala, Ont., is accepted. I have therefore to request that you will arrange to ship as soon as possible, addressed to Fred G. Steeds, Teacher, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala Station, Ont., the following:-

6 No. 1 B.B.A. Single Desks,
6 " 3 " " " .

These desks should be shipped, set up and crated, and should be supplied at the price quoted by you, viz.: $7.20 each for the No. 1 and $6.95 each for the No. 3, plus 30¢ for each desk to cover the crating and setting up charges. When shipment has been made, please forward your account, in duplicate, to John M. Daly, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont. He is being informed that the order has been placed with you, and instructed, upon receipt of the desks, if in good condition, to certify the account and send it to the Department for payment. We are having the desks shipped, set up, as it is difficult to obtain competent labour at the school for the purpose of assembling and setting them up.

Please acknowledge receipt of this order and state the date when shipment will go forward.

Yours truly,

Sgd F. H. Paget

F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

The Canadian Office &
School Furniture Co., Ltd.,
Preston, Ont.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, Nov. 19, 1923.

Sir:

With further reference to your letter of the 3rd instant, I have to inform you that we are today placing an order with the Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Limited, Preston, Ont., to ship, addressed to Fred G. Steeds, Teacher, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala Station, Ont., the following:-

6 No. 1 Sanitary B.B.A. Single Desks, (pupils 15 to 18 years)
6 " 3 " " " " , (" 12 " 14 ")

These desks will be shipped, set up and crated, ready to place in the classroom.

The above firm have been requested to forward their account, in duplicate, to you. Upon receipt of the desks, if in good condition, you should certify the account and send it to the Department for payment. The price charged is $7.20 each for the No. 1, and $6.95 each for the No. 3 Desk, plus an additional 30¢ per desk for the setting up and crating.

It is hoped that, when these desks arrive, they will be satisfactory and provide ample seating accommodation for the pupils at the Gibson Indian Day School. Kindly inform the teacher that the order has been placed and arrange with him to accept delivery, have the desks taken from Bala Station to the school and placed in the classroom. If the teacher is under any expense in this connection, he should forward his account, in duplicate, to you, and you will certify and submit it to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To ..... H. Y. Davidson Bala .....

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. ~~2...I...4~~ dated Nov. 15	
	To goods supplied for Gibson School	
	(as per statement attached)	5 00

Bought of **H. Y. DAVIDSON**

DEALER IN

DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES, GENTS' FURNISHINGS

LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR

Bala, ... Nov 7 ..... 192 3

M ..... Rec'd Goods for Gibson School

Account Forwarded

[redacted]

Date Delivered

Pay

Jas S 30/11/23

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS FOR PAYMENT

3979

Jan 30/24

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John W. Daly

..... Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To H.Y.Davidson, Bala.

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-14 dated Nov. 15		
	To goods supplied for Gibson School (as per statement attached)	5	00

Bought of **H. Y. DAVIDSON**

DEALER IN

DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES, GENTS' FURNISHINGS

LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR

Bala, Nov 24 1923

M Rev J. G. Steads

Gibson School

	Account Forwarded		
5 yds	Print	1	60 ✓
8	Flannelettes	1	80 ✓
6	Flannel		60 ✓
2 lbs	Needles.		10 ✓
17 pr	K. Needles		90 ✓
		5	00

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APPLEFORD COUNTER CHECK BOOK COMPANY, LIMITED, HAMILTON, CANADA

Recommended for Payment Nov 30/23 Accountant

Paid Nov 30/23

3979

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John M. Waly
Agent.

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THE CANADIAN OFFICE & SCHOOL FURNITURE CO.

ORDER No. 36380

Order No. 22-1-5 Terms NET Date November 22nd-1923

Sold To Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, Ont.

Ship To Fred G. Steeds, Teacher, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala Sta. Ont.

Ship Via CPR PREPAID When At once Date Shipped

Remarks Invoice in duplicate to John M. Daly, Indian Agent Parry Sound, Ont.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	AMOUNT
6	No.1 B.B.A. Single desks	7.20	43.20
6	No.3 " " " " "	6.95	41.70
			84.90
%			
12	pieces set up and crated	.30	3.60
			88.50
	f.o.b. Bala, Ont.	Not subject to Sales tax.	

This acknowledgment of your order is an exact copy as we have entered it. If not correct, kindly advise us at once.

Checked

Authority

Form No. 1-5-25-19-C.O.&S.F.CO.Ltd.

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22-1-5A

Ottawa, January 11, 1924.

Sir,-

(Incl.)

I re-inclose herewith the voucher, amounting to $5.00, which you submitted in favour of F.G.Steads, Sahanatien, for sewing material supplied for use at the Indian Day School on the Gibson Reserve. It will be necessary for this voucher to be amended so as to show details of the charges made.

I return also the voucher amounting to $8.00 in Mr.Steed's favour for cartage of school desks from Bala to Gibson Reserve. The voucher should indicate the distance between the two points and should show the time it took to perform the work for which charge is made. As only 12 desks were removed, the work apparently was not heavy.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J.D.McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M.Daly,Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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JAN 8 1924
RECORDS

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To C. Steede Esq., Sahanation P.O. Gibson.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To cartage of school desks from Bala to Gibson Reserve (as per statement attached)	8 00

5299-13.00
7-2-24

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John M. Daly
Agent.

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Sahtlam P.O

F. G. Steeds

In account Dept of Indian affairs

To Cartage of school Desks from Bala

To Gibson Reserve Indian Day School

$8.00

8 dollars for cartage
of 7 Desks from Bala.
Distance 7 miles
Journeys 2 owing to
the size of desks they
could not be brought up
on one load

F. G. Steeds

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To F. G. Steeds, Sahanatien P.O., Gibson Reserve

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To sewing class material (as per statement attached)	5 00

F. G. Steeds Sahanatien P.O
In a/c with Dept of Indian affairs

To Sewing Class Material $5.00
thread, 6 spools
5 yds. print, knitting needles
thimbles + sewing "

8.
5.
13.00

5299 - Sent Jeek. 7/24.

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John M. Daly
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 4 1924
BRANTFORD

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. Sux 758
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

acf.K

Parry Sound, Ont., Feb. 2 1924

R

Sir,—

Replying to yours of Jan.II, 22-I-5A, I beg to state that I took the matter up with Mr.Steeds and have attached his explanation to the vouchers.

Trusting that the Department will forward the amounts to Mr.Steeds as early as possible as Mr.Steeds has none too much money at present owing to his wife being ill, and having to pay heavy Doctor's bills.

I have the honour to be.

Sir:

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept.Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont/

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 4 1924

No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Jos. Martin, Gibson Reserve.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To wood supplied school at Gibson (as per statement attached)	60 00

Jan. 23, 1924.

Dept. Indian Affairs
Ottawa

In account with
Jos. Martin
Gibson Reserve.

ACCOUNTANTS 1924

To - 15 Cords of Hardwood @ $4.00 per — $60.00

Delivered at school House.

a/c 123

Accountant.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Jos.Martin,Gibson Reserve.

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
		To wood supplied school at Gibson (as per statement attached)		50 00

a/c 123

7402 pat. 6/2/24.

Accountant.

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John M. Daly
Agent.

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No. of Account 123

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To James News

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. ..... dated		
		To fixing both doors of school and putting glass in the windows.		
		12 hrs. labour at 40¢ per hour.	4	80.

The Dept. of Indian Affairs
In a/c with
Jas. News, Saharatien P. O. Gibson Reserve
May 31 - To fixing both doors of school and putting glass in the windows
12 hrs. labour @ 40¢ per hour $4.80

$ 4.80.

1951 Sept. 3/6/24.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Sgd J M Daly
Agent.

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No. of Account 173

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.W.Burgess Limited

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
		To 12 lights 10x12	I	68
		To 3 lbs.putty		38
			2	06

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

BALA, ONT., May 31 1924

ACCOUNT NO. LETTER D FOLIO 7

M. J. Daly Dept of Indian Affairs

SOUGHT OF

J. W. BURGESS LIMITED

DEALERS IN GROCERIES, FLOUR & FEED, PAINTS & OILS, HARDWARE,
TINWARE, TOURISTS' & CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE		ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
May	29	Mdse 206/K36			206	✓
		12 Lights 10 X 12 @$1.68				
		3 lbs Putty @ 38c				

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
.....Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 11 1924
RECORDS

Parry Sound, Ont.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. T-1174
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

June 7th, 19 24

Sir,—

Enclosed please find bill for supplies for Gibson Reserve school for repairs which were necessary to be done right away. I instructed Jas. News to procure same and have necessary work done.

Trusting this will meet with the approval of the Dept.

I have the honour to be,
Sir:
Your obedient servant,
John M. Daly
Agent.

ACCOUNTANT'S
JUN 12 1924
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AUG 15 1924
RECORDS

EXTRACT FROM LETTER OF JOHN M. DALY, INDIAN AGENT,
PARRY SOUND, Ont. Dated August 9, 1924.

Original on File 23022-1

x x x x x

Gibson Indian Day ad

Moved by Isaac News,
Seconded by Wm. Rennie,

That the Dept. be asked to furnish a belfry and bell for the school, out of the Band Funds. I approve of this, as the Band wants this and there should have been a bell for the school before.

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
AUG 16 1924

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, August 16th, 1924.

Sir:

With reference to the resolution of the council of the Gibson Band referred to in your letter of the 9th instant that the Department furnish a belfry and bell for the school out of Band funds, I have to request that you will state the approximate cost of a suitable bell and the cost of the labour in erecting the belfry and placing the bell. As soon as this information is received, consideration will be given to the resolution of the Council.

Your obedient servant,

A. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. [illegible], Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Ketchum & Company, Limited

SPORTING AND ATHLETIC GOODS

BICYCLE SUNDRIES AND REPAIR SHOP, CLEVELAND AND BRANTFORD BICYCLES, MOTOR CYCLES, GUNS, EVENRUDE MOTORS, AUTOMOBILES, GASOLINE LAUNCHES AND CANOES

Ottawa Sept 17, 1924
ONT.

Sold to Dept of Indian Affairs,
Booth Bldg

Terms Cash. Interest at 8 per cent. per annum charged on all overdue accounts.

Order # 88-1-4

To 1 Football complete	H 17	$4.75

Shipped

For Gibson Indian Day School.

Certified correct;
supplies furnished,
charges fair and just.

J. B. Lauthenbach
18/9/24

Certified correct.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Jackson & Limbert

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 82-I-4 dated Sept. 15/24	
	To goods supplied the Gibson Indian Day School (as per statement attached)	3 76

PARRY SOUND, ONT., Sept. 19, 1924. 192

Mr. Daly, Department of Indian affairs

For Gibson Reserve School.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

JACKSON & LIMBERT

Druggists

DRUGS, STATIONERY, KODAKS AND GENUINE KODAK FILMS, SCHOOL SUPPLIES, Etc.
PAGE & SHAW'S AND MOIR'S CHOCOLATES

11	Slates @ 40¢	4.40
1	" @ 30¢	.30
		4.70
	Less 20%	.94
	Total	$3.76

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Rec'd Sept. 27/24

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...Agent.

We try to do a cash business but sometimes little accounts are unavoidable. Each accouet is DUE WHEN RENDERED and we would appreciate your early settlement.

8 per. cent. interest charged on overdue accounts.

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EXAMINED and found correct.

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John M. Daly
Agent.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 7 1924
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Extract from Inspector's Report on the GIBSON Day School, October 28, 1924.

Water closets should have screened approaches.

The Boys' water closet is in need of repair and is quite unsanitary. Urinal should be provided.

The stove in the classroom should be jacketed and fitted with a ventilating pipe as I explained to Mr. Joblin.

SCHOOLS BRANCH

J. C. Stothers,

INSP.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, November 8, 1924.

Sir:

The Public School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Gibson Indian Day School, recommends that screened approaches be erected in front of the water closets. He also states that the boys' closet is in need of repair and is quite unsanitary. He further recommends that the stove in the classroom be jacketed and fitted with a ventilating pipe.

I shall be pleased if you will arrange to have the boys' closet placed in a good state of repair and thoroughly cleaned. If you consider that screened approaches should be erected in front of the closets, you may also have this work done. The Inspector states that he explained to the teacher the question of having the stove jacketed and fitted with a ventilating pipe. If you consider that this would be an improvement on the heating arrangement you may arrange to have the work done. It may be that Mr. Joblin, the teacher, could arrange for the labour in having the above work carried out, and either he or you could purchase any materials required. Properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering any expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

A. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 11 1924
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. I-272
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

.....Parry Sound, Ont...,.....

.....Nov. 7,.....19 24

Sir,—

On my recent visit to Gibson Reserve, Mr. Joblin, the teacher, drew my attention to the condition of the toilets at the school, and asked that screens be built on both, and that the boys' toilet have some arrangement of an urnel built so that the floor of the toilet can be kept dry. I examined the toilets and would recommend that the above inprovements be done.

Trusting that this will be satisfactiry.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
NOV 18 1924

I have the honour to be.
Sir:
Your obedient servant,
John M. Daly
Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 1 1924
RECORDS

Parry Sound, Ont.,

Nov. 29, 1924

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. T-298
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

As it is coming near the Xmas season, and as the children in all the schools of this Agency except Henvey Inlet, have attended extra well, the thought has occurred to me that, perhaps, the Dept. would like to encourage the children to attend school, by assisting the various bands, the teacher, and myself, by giving a donation to our Xmas tree fund. I don't know if there are any funds available for this purpose, but I am sure that such action on the part of the Dept. would be appreciated by the children, their parents, the teacher, and myself. Even $10.00 for eachschool would bring a glow of happiness to the faces of the youngsters, which would more than reward for the expenditure asked.

Trusting that you will consider this application favourably.

Shawanaga 40 pupils } 10.00 each
Gibson - 40 pupils }
Ryerson 39 - }
Magnetawan 10 " } 5.00
Sound Band 15 }

I have the honour to be.

Sir:

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 3 1924

R.T. Ferrier Esq.,
Supt. Indian school,
Ottawa, Ont.

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T-298.

Ottawa, December 3, 1924.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 29th ultimo, requesting that a grant be provided as a donation towards the Christmas Tree fund at each of the Indian Day Schools in the Parry Sound agency.

In reply I have to say that the Department will provide a grant for each of the above schools, as follows: -

Shawanaga	$10.00
Gibson	10.00
Ryerson	10.00
Maganetawan	5.00
Lower French River	5.00

If you consider that the schools at Henvey Inlet and Moose Deer Point should receive a grant, the Department will approve of an expenditure of $5.00 for each school.

You may arrange for the purchase of the various articles or gifts to the above authorized amounts for each of the schools. Properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure for each of the schools, separately, should be forwarded.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To.....George..&..Shamess.....

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-5 dated Dec. 3/24	
	To goods supplies Ryerson Indian Day school. (as per statement attached)	10 00

PARRY SOUND
TELEPHONE 7

PARRY HARBOR
TELEPHONE 286

PARRY SOUND & PARRY HARBOR
BOX 342 BOX 186

Dec 26th 1924 192

M Parry Island Indian School
C/O. John M. Daly Indian Sup't'cy
In Account With Parry Sound Ont.

GEORGE & SHAMESS

DEALERS IN

MEN'S CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED

Dec.	22	6 Doz. Oranges	3.60	
		I Box Apples	2.25	
		4 lb Mix Nuts	I.00	
		8 Pkg Raisens	70	
		8 lb. Mix Candy	2.45	
				IO. 00

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10 00

for Xmas Inn

EXAMINED and found correct.

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John McDaly
Agent.

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No. of Account 123

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Isaiah Sahanatien, Gibson

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-5 dated Nov. 8/24		
	To work on toilets at Gibson school.		
	(as per statement attached)	20	40

6913 Rec'd 2/1/25

The Dept. of Indian Affairs

In account with Isaiah Sahanatien of Gibson

To carting of lumber for screens for school toilets, one trip		4.00
" cedar posts for screens		1.40
" labour on toilets	5 days @ 3.00	15.00
		20.40

Examined and found correct

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly

Agent.

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No. of Account 1477

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. W. Burgess

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-5 dated Nov. 5/24	
	To goods supplied per Gibson toilets (as per statement attached)	72 30 sent 14/1/25 I 94

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

ACCOUNT No. LETTER | FOLIO

BALA, ONT., Dec. 31st. 1924

M J. M. Daly.

Parry Sound.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, PAINTS AND OILS
HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS AND CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Dec.	3	8 lbs. Nails.	.56	
"	12.	Galv. Iron Nails	1.30 .08	1.94
				1.94

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above account is correct, and the charges are just and reasonable, and that the work performed or the goods supplied have been duly received by me, and that each item of the same has been duly entered in the Day Book.

Agent.

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John M. Daly
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.W.Burgess

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-5 dated Dec.3/24	
	To goods for Gibson Xmas tree party (as per statement attached)	72 30 14 1/1/25
		Rent 9 00

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

ACCOUNT No. LETTER | FOLIO

BALA, ONT. Dec. 31st. 1924

M. Daly.

Parry Sound.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, PAINTS AND OILS
HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS AND CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

3.19	25s lbs. Mixed Candy	6.25	
	11 lbs. Mixed Nuts	2.75	9.00
			9.00

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John W. Mc Daly

..... Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To McKinley Hardware.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-4 dated Sept. 15/24	
	To goods supplied Gibson School	
	(as per statement attached)	I 30

W. R. McKINLEY

CHEVROLET

DEALERS IN CHEVROLET CARS

W. H. WADDELL

PARRY SOUND ONT. Jany 5 1925

M Indian Agent

Gibson school

IN ACCOUNT WITH

McKINLEY HARDWARE CO.

GENERAL HARDWARE, STOVES AND TINWARE

sent 18	1	Broom	1 00
	1	Fire shovel	30
			1 30

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McKINLEY HARROWMAKE CO.

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John M. Daly
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Weismiller Bros.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No 22-1-5 dated Nov. 6/24 To lumber for toilets Gibson School (as per statement attached)	16 22

A. WEISMILLER G. WEISMILLER H. WEISMILLER

M Indian Dept BALA, ONT. Dec 31 1924

c/o Mr Daley Parry Sound

IN ACCOUNT WITH **WEISMILLER BROS.**

MANUFACTURERS OF

ROUGH AND DRESSED LUMBER

TERMS

7411 sent 21/1/25

The R. J. LOVELL CO., Ltd., Mfg. Stationers, Toronto. 7500

DATE	O. No.	DESCRIPTION	FOLIO	DEBIT	CREDIT	BALANCE
Dec 2		6 pcs 2-4-10 Hem D4 = 40 @ 40 cts		16 00		
		225 ft Bme V Joint @ 65 cts		146 25		
				16 22		
		Ordrd by Chief Gibson Band				

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John McDale
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Agent.

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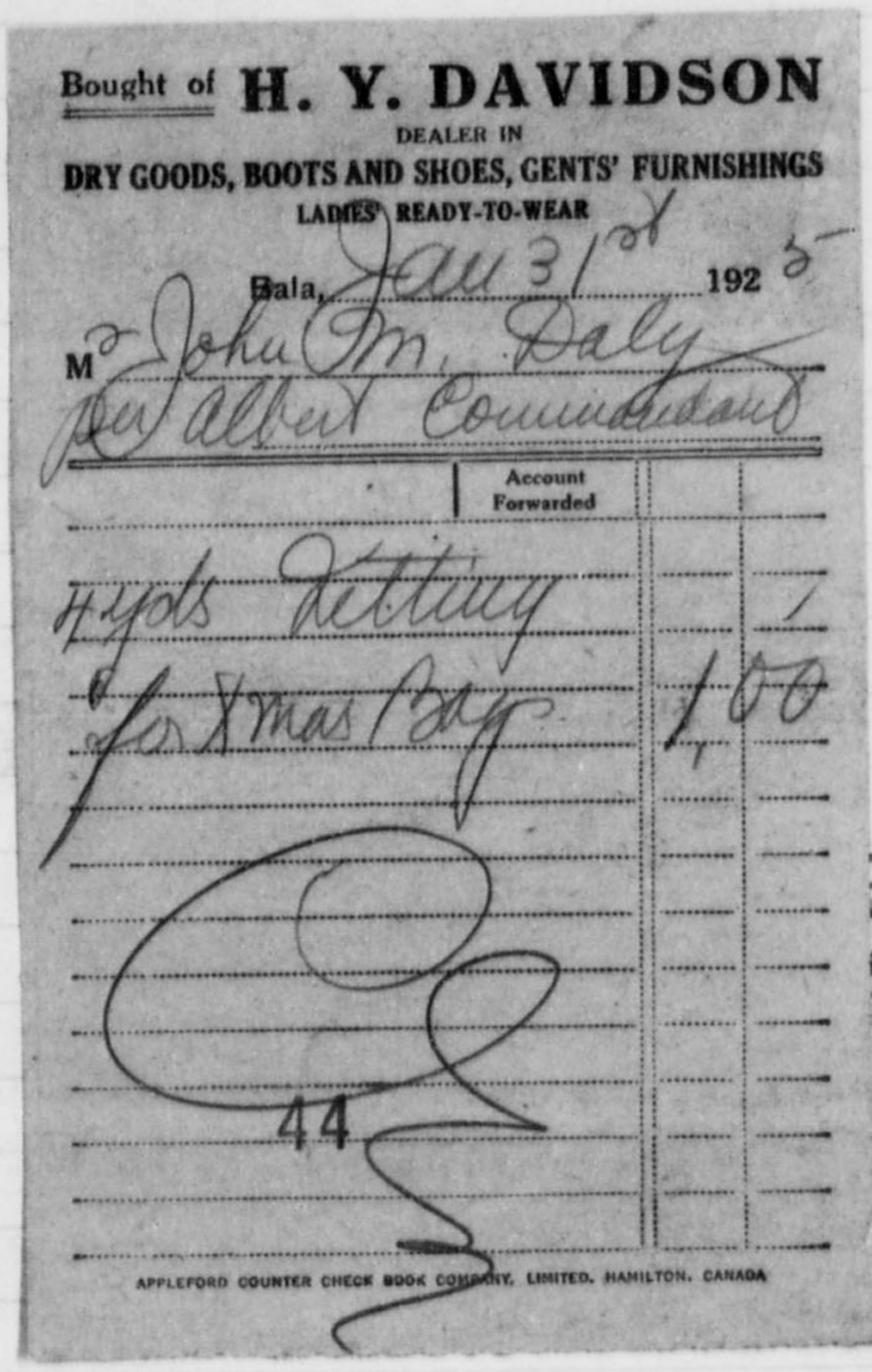
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To H.Y.Davidson

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-5 dated Dec. 3/24	
	To goods supplied for Xmas tree party at Gibson Reserve.	
	(as per statement attached)	1 00



Bought of **H. Y. DAVIDSON**

DEALER IN

DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES, GENTS' FURNISHINGS

LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR

Bala, Jan 31st 192 3

Mr John M. Daly

per Albert Commissariat

	Account Forwarded		
	Hyds Netting		1
	for Xmas Party	1	00

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APPLEFORD COUNTER CHECK BOOK COMPANY, LIMITED, HAMILTON, CANADA

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John M Daly
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.W.Burgess

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To stove pipes for Gibson School	
	(as per statement attached)	3 89

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

ACCOUNT No. LETTER D FOLIO 7

BALA, ONT., Jan. 31st 1925

M J. W. Daly

Ja Gibson School Parry Sound

IN ACCOUNT WITH

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, PAINTS AND OILS
HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS AND CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

10	lengths Pipe @ 30	3 00	
6	Glass 10x12 @ 1¢	8¢	
	Putty	05	3 89

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REQUISITION FOR SCHOOL MATERIAL

Date April 27th 1925

For Gibson School on Gibson

Reserve in ..... Agency

NOTE—Only text books authorized for use in Provincial Schools should be requested. To avoid delay and correspondence in filing Requisitions, the teacher should give full particulars regarding each article required. The name, series, number of grade and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

ARTICLES	No. On hand	No. Required	No. Authorized	REMARKS
Single Desks, No. 3.	12	6		
Plain strong chairs	0	6		
Clothes hooks, large.	3	12		
Primer (Reading Books)	0	12	See Report of May 4/25 re 2-7/1 & 2 pp. 9/5/25	

Address to which above supplies are to be sent:

Name Frank J. Joblin

School Gibson

Post Office (nearest) Sahanatien

Express Office (nearest) Bala

Province Ont.

Number of Pupils on Roll.....

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do in 4th do .....

do in 5th do .....

do in 6th do .....

Frank J. Joblin
Teacher.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial schools.

John. M. Daly
Indian Agent.

Form No. 99

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 8 1925
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. T-420
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound, Ont.,

May 6, 1925

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Sir,

Enclosed please find requisition from Gibson. I should state that I have been endeavouring to fix up some of the old desks to make them do, never-the-less, we require six more desks and six plain chairs for immediate use in the school. The size of the desks, as stated in the requisition, is No. 3.

Trusting that this will meet with the approval of the Dept.

I have the honour to be.

Sir:

Your obedient servant,

John W. McDaly

Agent.

J.D?McLean Esq.,

Secretary Dept.Indian Affairs,

Ottawa,Ont.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAY 9 1925

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T-420.

Ottawa, May 11, 1925.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 6th instant, enclosing a requisition from the teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School for six more desks and six plain chairs.

Before we can place an order for the desks, it will be necessary for you to state the type of desk at present in the school, whether single or double, also, if possible, the name of the manufacturer. If new desks are to be supplied, it is necessary that they be of the same type as those at present in the school. Full shipping directions should also be given.

Please state the necessity for the six plain chairs. Usually, we provide only two visitors' or side chairs for the classroom. Are the chairs requested by the teacher for the use of the classroom or for the teacher's living quarters?

As soon as we have the above information, consideration will be given to the supplying of the desks and chairs.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account 123

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Isaiah Sahanatien, Gibson

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To fixing of black-board at Gibson school (as per statement attached)	2 00

The Dept. of Indian Affairs
In account with
Isaiah Sahanatien of Gibson

To fixing frame on black board at Gibson school

5 hrs. @ 40¢ 2.00 ✓

2.00 ✓

C.D.I.A. 1236
part. 13/5/25.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Waby
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Isaiah Sahanatien, Gibson

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
	To fixing of black-board at Gibson school (as per statement attached)	2	00

D. C. Gillies.

EXAMINED and found correct.

C.D. Simmons

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part. 13/5/25.

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John M. Waly

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. T-432
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 25 1925
RECORDS

Parry Sound, Ont., May 21, 1925

Sir,

Replying to yours of the IIth.inst. 22-I-5, I beg to state that I went carefully over the desks of Gibson school with Mr.Joblin, the schoolmaster and find that there are four double desks which are beyond repair and should be replaced by singlr desks. There are twelve new single desks now in the school and to have the children seated suitably, it would be necessary to have twelve new single desks. The desks in the school are from the C.O.& S.F. Co.Preston and the size required is No.3. The plain chairs are for the end double desks and end single desks, so that when the attendance is up to standard all the children may be seated.

Trusting that this is the information required, and that the desks may be shipped at the earliest convenience of the Dept.

#3-12-14 yrs

I have the honour to be.
Sir:
Your obedient servant,
John M. Daly
Agent.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAY 27 1925

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept.Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, May 27th, 1925.

Gentlemen:

Please quote your lowest price F.O.B. Bala, Ont., for the supplying of the following school desks, viz: -

12 - No. 3 Ball Bearing Single School Desks.

These desks are to be supplied set up and ink wells furnished with each desk.

Your early reply will oblige,

Yours very truly,

F. H. Paget

2 letters

F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd.,
Preston,
Ont.

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T-432.

22-1-5.

Ottawa, May 27th, 1925.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 21st instant, relative to the desks required for the use of the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that we are placing an order here for 12 single desks. We note that the new desks at present in the school were obtained from the Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd., Preston. It is further noted that the desks now required are size No. 3, and these are for pupils 12 to 14 years of age.

Regarding the 6 plain chairs, I beg to say that you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of same. A good strong, serviceable chair should be purchased, but no unnecessary expenditure should be incurred. You should forward properly certified vouchers covering the cost, together with any charges for transporting the chairs to the school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAM

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.
LIMITED

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A.B.C. [redacted]ON
WESTERN UNION

Preston, Ont. May 29th, 1925.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAY 30 1925

F. H. Paget, Esq.,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

In reply to your favour of the 27th inst. we beg to quote you on twelve No. 3 Ball Bearing single school desks, $6.50 each, F.O.B. cars Bala for the desks shipped set up and crated, sales tax included. The desks of course will be supplied with inkwells.

Hoping to be favoured with your esteemed order covering the above, and awaiting your further esteemed commands, we are,

Yours very truly,

THE CANADIAN OFFICE AND
SCHOOL FURNITURE CO., LIMITED

Secretary-Treasurer.

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$6.50 12
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22-1-5.

Ottawa, June 1, 1925.

Gentlemen:

The price quoted by you in your letter of the 29th ultimo for the desks required for delivery at Bala, Ont. is accepted. Please arrange to ship, as soon as possible, addressed to F. J. Joblin, Teacher, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ont.,

12 No. 3 Ball bearing Single School Desks.

The desks should be set up and crated - ink wells to be supplied with each.

These desks should be supplied at the price quoted, viz.: $6.50 each, f. o. b. Bala, Ont., government sales tax included. Please forward your account, in duplicate, to J. M. Daly, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont., who has been informed that the order has been placed with you. We have requested him, upon receipt of the desks, if in good condition, to certify the account and send it to the Department, when payment will be made.

Please acknowledge receipt of this order and state the date when shipment will be made.

Yours truly.

F. H. Paget.
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

Canadian Office & School Furniture Co., Ltd.,
P r e s t o n,
Ont.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, June 1, 1925.

Sir:

I have to inform you that an order is today being placed with the Canadian Office and School Furniture Company, Limited, Preston, Ont., to ship, addressed to F. J. Joblin, teacher, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ont.,

12 No. 3 Ball bearing Single School Desks.

These will be shipped, set up and crated. The price quoted is $6.50 each, f. o. b. Bala, Ont., government sales tax included. The above firm have been requested to forward their account, in duplicate, to you. As soon as you ascertain that the desks have been received, if in good condition, you should certify the account and send it to the Department in order that payment can be made.

It is hoped that, when these desks arrive, they will be satisfactory and provide ample seating accommodation at this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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THE CANADIAN OFFICE & SCHOOL FURNITURE CO. 22-1-5

ORDER NO. 37521

Their Order No. 22-1-5 Terms NET Date June 3rd-1925

Sold To Department of Indian Affairs, Canada, Ottawa, Ont.

To F. J. Coblin, Teacher, Gibson Indian Day School,
Bala, Ont.

Ship CPR prepaid When at once Date Shipped

Remarks Invoice in duplicate with B/L to J. M. Daly, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	AMOUNT
12	No. 3 B. Set B.A. Single desk up & crated	6.50	78.—
	f.o.b. Bala.	Sales tax included	
	Will be shipped June 3rd-1925		

THIS IS NOT AN INVOICE

This acknowledgement of your order is an exact copy as we have entered it. If not correct kindly advise us at once.

Checked

Authority

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To McKinley Hardware Co., Parry Sound.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-4 dated April II/25.	
	To two brooms supplied Gibson Reserve school.	2672 6/7/25
	(as per statement attached)	2 00

22-1-4
April 11/25

STATEMENT

PARRY SOUND, ONTARIO June 29 1925

M Indian Agent.
Gibson Reserve

McKINLEY HARDWARE COMPANY

GENERAL HARDWARE
PLUMBING AND HEATING

TELEPHONE 95

THE R. J. LOVELL CO., LTD. MFG. STATIONERS AND PRINTERS, TORONTO K1796

May	20	2 Brooms		2001

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs

T. E. X.

To Alex. Logan, Parry Sound.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated May 27/25	
	To chairs supplied Gibson School.	
	(as per statement attached)	8 00

FURNITURE
GO-CARTS
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UNDERTAKING

COLUMBIA GRAMOPHONES AND RECORDS — PHONE 81

PARRY SOUND, ONTARIO July 4th 1925

M Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

IN ACCOUNT WITH ALEX. LOGAN

ACCOUNTS RENDERED MONTHLY — INTEREST AT 8% PER ANNUM ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

22-1-5 May 27/25

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	DEBIT AMOUNT	CREDIT AMOUNT	BALANCE
May 29	To 6 Kitchen Chairs @ 1.25		7 50		
	freight prepaid		50		
			8 00		
	Shipped to the Teacher at Gibson Reserve. Bala Ont.				

RECEIVED ACCOUNTANTS

Rec'd 7

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RECORDS

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs

T.E.X.

To Alex. Logan, Parry Sound.

DATE			AMOUNT

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Rec'd 23/7/25

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For use in connection with the Form of Straight Bill of Lading approved by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada by Order No. 7562 of 15th July, 1909. Form 5

GRAND RIVER RAILWAY COMPANY

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THIS MEMORANDUM is an acknowledgment that a bill of lading has been issued and is not the Original Bill of Lading, nor a copy or duplicate, covering the property named herein, and is intended solely for filing or record.

Shipper's No. 3752

Agent's No.

RECEIVED, subject to the classifications and tariffs in effect on the date of the receipt by the carrier of the property described in the Original Bill of Lading,

at Preston Ont June 3 19 25,

from C Dal & Co the goods described below, in apparent good order, except as noted (contents and condition of contents of packages unknown), marked, consigned and destined as indicated below, which said Company agrees to carry to its usual place of delivery at said destination, if on its road, otherwise to deliver to another carrier on the route to said destination. It is mutually agreed, as to each carrier of all or any of said goods over all or any portion of said route to destination, and as to each party at any time interested in all or any of said goods, that every service to be performed hereunder shall be subject to all the conditions, whether printed or written, herein contained (including conditions on back hereof) and which are agreed to by the shipper and accepted for himself and his assigns.

The Rate of Freight from.....

to.....*is in Cents per 100 Lbs.*

IF.....Times 1st	IF.....Class	IF.....Class	IF.....Class	IF.....Class	IF.....Class	IF.....Class	IF.....Class	IF.....Class	IF.....Class	IF.....Class	IF Special per.....

(Mail Address—Not for purposes of Delivery.)

Consigned to J Jobbins Teacher, Gibson Indian Day School

Destination Bala { Province or State of Ont County of

Route Car Initial Car No.

No. Packages	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES AND SPECIAL MARKS.	WEIGHT (Subject to Correction)	CLASS OR RATE	CHECK COLUMN
6	crates school desks	480		

IMPORTANT

Examine goods before signing Railway Receipt. If there is any SHORTAGE or goods are damaged, have Agent mark particulars on receipt and initial same before you sign. We will not be responsible for Breakages and Shortages when clear receipt for goods as received in good order has been signed by cust. omers at destination.

The CANADIAN OFFICE and SCHOOL FURNITURE CO. Ltd.

If charges are to be prepaid, write or stamp here, "To be Prepaid."

Prepaid

Received $..... to apply in prepayment of the charges on the property described hereon.

Agent or Cashier.

Per.....

(The signature here acknowledges only the amount prepaid.)

Charges Advanced:

$.....

C Dal & Co Shipper.

Per.....

Agent.

Per.....

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

EX.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-5 dated May 27/25	
	To desks supplied Gibson Indian Day School (as per statement attached)	78 00 6 50

The CANADIAN OFFICE & SCHOOL FURNITURE CO., LIMITED

MANUFACTURERS OF

OFFICE, SCHOOL, CHURCH, LODGE AND OPERA FURNITURE
BANK, OFFICE, HOTEL, DRUG AND JEWELRY STORE AND COURT HOUSE FITTINGS
A SPECIALTY

PRESTON, ONT. June 3rd-1925 192

Sold to Department of Indian Affairs, Canada,

No. 37521-C Ottawa, Ont.

Conveyance CPR Terms NET

22-1-5 C.	12	No.3 B.B.A. Single desks Set up & crated. f.o.b. Bala, Ont. Sales tax included.	6.50	78.--

F. J. Goblin, Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Bala, Ont.

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of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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Dec. 27/7/25.

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July 27 / 21
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Sir

I drewed 1 L. school desk and
6 single chair on about the 17th of June
1920. four Dollars. $4.00

I am Yours very truly
Philip. Laforce

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Philip Laforce, Sahanatien P.O

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-5 dated May 27/25	
	To cartage of desks and chairs from station to school.	
	(as per statement attached)	4 00

The Dept. of Indian Affairs
In account with
Philip Laforce, Sahanatien P.O. Gibson Reserve.

To cartage 6 single chairs and 12 desks from Bala station to school

4.00

4.00

EXAMINED and found correct.

3430 Sept 6-8-25

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly Agent.

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Rent of Gibson school house polling booth.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS SEP 2 1925 RECEIVED

Duplicate for Department.

$ 8 00

Bank of Nova Scotia

PARRY SOUND, ONT. Aug 31 1925

Received from J. McNeely

on account of Indian Affairs

the sum of Eight 00/100 Dollars

SCHOOLS SECTION SEP 3 1925 ACCOUNTANTS

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd [illegible]

W. J. Fraser

Pro. Manager.

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No. of Account 123

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

re letter

To Jackson & Limbert, Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-4 dated Apr. 11/25	
	To slates supplied Gibson School (as per statement attached)	4 63

Folio

STATEMENT

Parry Sound, Sept. 2 1925

M ~~Mr J.M. Daly, Indian Agent,~~

Parry Sound, Ontario.

In Acct with ~~Jackson & Limbert,~~

Terms

Parry Sound, Ontario.

~~June~~	~~13~~	~~6 slates at 35¢~~	~~2.10~~		
		~~6 " " 45¢~~	~~2.70~~		
		~~Express~~	~~.55~~		
		~~Less 15%~~		~~.72~~	
		~~Bal Owing~~		~~4.63~~	

For Gibson School

4342
sent. 17/9/25

I He[re]by certify that the work performed and the c[harges] are correct and that each item of the sa[me]

[Jackson & Limbert]

Agent.

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The Depa[illegible] Sound, Ont.

DATE				AMOUNT

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4342

Sent. 17/9/25.

EXAMINED
found correct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Waly
Agent.

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22-1-5

Ottawa, September 9, 1925.

Dear Sir,-

(Incl.)

I return herewith one copy of voucher in favour of Messrs.Jackson & Limbert, amounting to $4.63, in order that the express receipt may be attached thereto.

Yours truly,

F.H.Paget
Chief Accountant.

John M.Daly,Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,Ont.

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22-1-5

INDIAN OFFICE

At Parrry Sound, Ont.,

Sept. 11, 1925

MEMO.

F.H.Paget Esq.,
Chief Accountant,
Dept. Indian Affairs, Ottawa, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 16 1925
RECORDS

Dear Sir:

Replying to yours of Sept. 9 22-I-5, enclosed please find express receipt for 55 cents. I regret regret the omission of receipt when bill was presented.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory.

Yours truly,

John M. Daly

DEPARTMENT
SEP 15 1925
INDIAN AFFAIRS

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Isaiah Sahanatien, Gibson

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
	To material and labour in fixing up porch of school at Gibson. (as per statement attached)	II	59

The Dept. of Indian Affairs
In account with
Isaiah Sahanatien, Gibson Reserve.

To Lumber for platform of Gibson school	5 31
" Nails	.28
" Two days labour at $3.00 per day	6.00
	11.59

EXAMINED and found correct.

4689
sent 29/9/25
to Dept.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J. Wm. McDaly
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. T-452
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

.....Parry Sound, Ont.,.....

.....Sept. 23, ...19 25

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 26 1925
RECORDS

Sir,—

Enclosed please find bill for material and labour for fixing up the platform at the entrance of the school at Gibson Reserve.

I should state that this work was not authorized by the Dept. but was very necessary before school took up so I told Sahanatien to go ahead and get it finished.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory.

I have the honour to be.
Sir:
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

ACCOUNTANT
OTTAWA

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No. of Account 123

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs.

To J.W.Burgess, Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To cups supplied to Gibson School (as per statement attached)	90

5634 sent 4/11/21

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

BALA, ONT., Sept 3 1921

ACCOUNT NO. LETTER DD FOLIO 37

M J J Daly Parry Sound

BOUGHT OF

J. W. BURGESS LIMITED

DEALERS IN GROCERIES, FLOUR & FEED, PAINTS & OILS, HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS' & CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE		ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Aug	31	6 Cups for Gibson School			90	

EXAMINED and found correct.

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M Daly
Agent.

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22-1-5

Ottawa, November 26, 1925.

Dear Sir,-

(Incl.)

I re-inclose herewith the account of .90¢ which you submitted in favour of J.W.Burgess Limited, of Bala, for cups supplied for use at the Gibson School. Seemingly this is a duplicate of the account which the Department paid to Mr.Burgess on the 4th instant. Kindly look into the matter carefully. You should guard against the submission of accounts to the Department a second time.

Yours truly,

W.H.Paget
Chief Accountant.

John M.Daly,Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 12 1925
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. T-609
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound, Ont.,

Dec. 10, 1925

Sir,—

As I am in the midst of preparations for the Xmas trees for the various Bands of this Agency, would the Dept. please state, at their earliest convenience, if they are prepared to grant the following as donations same as last year:

Shawanaga	10.00
Gibson	10.00
Ryerson	10.00
Maganetawan	5.00
Lower French	5.00

Your consideration of this matter will be greatly appreciated.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 12 1925

I have the honour to be.
Sir:
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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22-1-5.

T-609.

Ottawa, December 12th, 1925.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 10th instant, requesting that the Department provide a grant for the purchase of supplies for the Christmas trees for the pupils of the Indian day schools in your Agency.

In reply I beg to say that you may incur an expenditure for this purpose for each of the schools as follows, viz:

Shawanaga	$10.00,
Gibson.....	10.00,
Ryerson	10.00,
Maganetawan.....	5.00,
Lower French River.....	5.00.

These amounts should not be exceeded in each case, and you should forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred for each school separately.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Extract from report of Inspector McRoberts on his inspection of the Gibson Day School on November 26th, 1925. Original on fyle 22-1-6.

" ..... The girls' closet is satisfactory;the boys' closet is in bad condition,- " droppings" on the seat is badly chewed by porcupines. A new seat is needed here. The girls' closet,kept clean and painted,is not chewed.

" A cord running through a pulley and fastened at lower window sill should be attached to each upper window sash so that the sash might be lowered for ventilation. Locks should be provided for windows when school is not in session. A cord and pulley for "man-hole" cover in ceiling would also assist in ventilation.

" A serious crack in the box-stove should be repaired before damage occurs. The stove should also be provided with a metal jacket screen at sides and back to save pupils seated near from being too hot while others at a distance are cold."

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 16 1925
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22-1-5.

Ottawa, December 16th, 1925.

Sir:

The Public School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Gibson Indian Day School, has drawn attention to the condition of the boys' toilet. He states that a new seat is required.

He also recommends, with reference to the windows in the school building, that a cord running through a pulley and fastened at a lower window sill should be attached to each upper window sash, so that the sash might be lowered for ventilation, and that locks should be provided for windows when school is not in session. He also states that a cord and pulley for the "manhole" cover in the ceiling would also assist in the ventilation of the building.

He further states that there is a serious crack in the box stove which should be repaired before further damage occurs, and that the stove should also be provided with a metal jacket screen at sides and back to save pupils seated near from being too hot while others at a distance are cold.

On the occasion of your next visit to the Gibson School, I should be pleased if you would enquire into the matters referred to, and, if you concur in the Inspector's recommendations, you may arrange to have the work mentioned carried out. Any work undertaken should be performed at the lowest possible cost. The Department will leave this matter in your hands to have the work as suggested by the Inspector carried out if you consider it necessary to have same performed. Properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering any expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account 123

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To F.G.Laird, Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
	To repairs on Gibson School clock (as per statement attached)	4	00

Amount of Transaction Sale Number Date

F. G. LAIRD

JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

Watch Inspector for the C. P. R. and The National Railways

Clerk ..... Parry Sound, Ont. Dec 1 ...1925

Name Mr Daly

Address Indian Agent Am't Rec'd

Gibson Room		
Clock repaired		
Cleaned		
new glass	4	00
New pendulum rod		

Printed figures at top of slip show amount paid or charged

Press of The National Cash Register Co., Dayton, Ohio.

34

7248
sent 30/12/25

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.W.Burgess Ltd., Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-5 dated Dec. 18/25	
	To material supplied for Xmas Tree at Gibson Indian Day School. (as per statement attached)	Io 00

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

ACCOUNT NO. LETTER D FOLIO 27

BALA, ONT., Dec 31 192 5

M Dept of Indian Affairs
Gibson Xmas Tree

IN ACCOUNT WITH

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

DEALERS IN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, PAINTS AND OILS
HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS AND CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Dec	23	Books		10	00	

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Agent.

Indian Affairs. (RG 10, Volume 6132, File 393-5, part 2)

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John M Dale

Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.W.Burgess Ltd., Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-5 dated Dec. 18/25	
	To material supplied for Xmas Tree at Gibson Indian Day School. (as per statement attached)	10 00

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

BALA, ONT., Dec 31 192 5

ACCOUNT NO. LETTER D FOLIO 17

M. Dept of Indian Affairs
Gibson Xmas Tree

22-1-5 Dec. 25

IN ACCOUNT WITH

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

DEALERS IN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, PAINTS AND OILS
HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS AND CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Dec 23rd Books. 10 xx

Settled Jan 13/26

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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22-1-5A.

January 13th, 1926.

EXD.

Sir,-

I regret the necessity of returning herewith the voucher for $10.00 which you submitted in favour of J.W. Burgess, Ltd., of Bala, Ont., for material supplied for the Christmas Tree at the Gibson Indian Day School, but the said voucher is not satisfactory as there is nothing to indicate that value was received in return for the expenditure of $10.00 incurred. Kindly request the firm to render their account in detail. It should show the number of books supplied and the price charged for each. When the voucher is returned amended, as indicated, the matter of payment will be given attention without delay.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

(J.D. McLean)
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To E.J.Vincent, Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-5 dated Dec. II/25	
	To goods supplied for Xmas Tree, Shawanaga (as per statement attached)	10 00

7763 Dept. 19/1/26.

STATEMENT

IN ACCOUNT WITH

E. J. VINCENT, LIMITED

IMPORTER AND GENERAL MERCHANT

PARRY SOUND, ... 192....

Jan. 12/26.

M .....

John Daly,

Parry Sound, Ont.

FOLIO ..... Shawanaga Xmas tree

		1.00	75	
Dec	23	To Hdkfs 2 pr Braces	1.75	/
		Scarf	35	/
		2 pr Mitts	80	/
		4 pr Mitts	1.20	/
		2 pr Hose	1.10	/
		4 Hdkfs	50	/
		6 "	25	
		2 Combs	30	/
		Sweater	1.15	/ /
		Toques	2.60	/
				10.00

I Hereby ... work performed and the charges ... that each item of the same ...

..... Agent.

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			AMOUNT
			10 00

EXAMINED and found correct.

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John M Daly
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 20 1926
RECORD

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. T-629
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Parry Sound, Ont.,

Jan. 18, 19 26

Sir,—

Replying to yours of Dec.16, 1925,22-I-5, I have to state that I went into the matter very fully and have made arrangements for the following to be done right away: New seat for boys' toilet, for ventillation by the windows(not as suggested by inspector) cheaper and better way,on a suitable Friday afternoon the top of the stove will be taken to Bala and welded. I have given instructions to move the stove two feet farther from the desks (no need for screen). All these repairs will be done during this week.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JAN 21 1926

I have the honour to be.
Sir:
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.W.Burgess, Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-3-4 dated Dec. 31/25	
	To goods supplied for Ginson Indian Day School(as per statement attached)	2 25

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

ACCOUNT NO. LETTER | FOLIO

BALA, ONT., Jan. 18th 1926

M. J.M. Daly

Parry Sound

IN ACCOUNT WITH

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

DEALERS IN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, PAINTS AND OILS
HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS AND CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Jan	15	1 dozen Clothes Hooks	1 00	
		1 Broom	1 25	
				2 25

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M Daly
Agent.

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ACCOUNT NO. LETTER D FOLIO 17

BALA, ONT., Jan. 18th 1926

M. J.M. Daly

Parry Sound

IN ACCOUNT WITH

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

DEALERS IN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, PAINTS AND OILS
HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS AND CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Jan 15	1 dozen Clothes Hooks	1 00		
	1 Broom	1 25		
				2 25

For Indian School. Saltcoats.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.W.Burgess, Bala, Ont.

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-I-5 dated Dec. I2/25		
		To material supplied for Xmas Tree		
		Gibson School(as per statement attached)	I0	00

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

ACCOUNT NO. LETTER D FOLIO 7

BALA, ONT., Dec 23 1926

M J. M. Daly
Dept of Indian Affairs Parry Sound Ont

IN ACCOUNT WITH

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

DEALERS IN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, PAINTS AND OILS
HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS AND CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Dec	23	6	Books	@	05	30
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The Department of Indian Affairs,

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M Daly
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Isaiah Sahanatien, Gibson Reserve,

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To labour on repairs at Gibson School (as per statement attached)	8 38

Sahanatien
April. 3. 1926

Department of Indian affairs
C/o John M Daly Indian agent
In a/c with

Isaiah Sahanatien
Gibson Reserve

To 2 day's labour fixing school seat and stove. Gibson Reserve

20	hours @	30¢	$ 600
1	Chalk line		60
1	Pair Hinges		40
1	Pulley		25
12	screws		15
	Cement		50
1	Board		25
1	Pane		18
	Putty		5
		$	838

Isaiah Sahanatien

sent 16/5/26 to Agt

I Hereby Certify that the work performed and the charges thereof are correct, and that each item of the same is just and true.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Depart[illegible] Indian Affairs,

[illegible] Reserve.....

DATE

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Sent 16/1/26 to Agr

EXAMINED and found Correct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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STATEMENT

Preston, Ont., Sep. 14 1926

M The Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

IN ACCOUNT WITH

The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.
Limited

1924 Nov 27	To Account Rendered " Invoice		88.50

Gibson Indian Day School
Bala. Ont

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The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.
LIMITED

CABL "DESKS"
TELEG IC CODES
A.B.C. 4TH EDITION
WESTERN UNION

Preston, Ont. September 14th, 1926.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 15 1926
RECORDS

Chief Accountant,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

We enclose a statement covering goods shipped:

November 22, 1924, $88.50 for school desks supplied the Gibson Indian Day School at Bala, Ontario.

which account does not appear to have been paid. Will you kindly look into this matter and if correct have cheque sent us to cover, and oblige,

Yours very truly,

THE CANADIAN OFFICE AND
SCHOOL FURNITURE CO., LIMITED

E. Smith

Secretary-Treasurer.

GF/N

ACCOUNTANT
SEP 16 1926
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Ottawa, September 16, 1926.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 14th instant, I may say the Department is writing Mr.John M.Daly, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, with regard to your account of $88.50 for desks supplied for use at the Gibson Indian Day School, Bala. Mr.Daly is being requested to report and to forward your account duly certified if the same has not been paid. In order to facilitate matters it seems advisable for you to forward to him copy of the said account. Any inconvenience which you may have experienced in connection with the foregoing matter is regretted.

Your obedient servant,

J.D.McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The Canadian Office and
School Furniture Co., Ltd.,
Preston, Ont.

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Ottawa, September 16, 1926.

Sir,-

I beg to say the Department has received a letter dated the 14th instant from the Canadian Office & School Furniture Co., Ltd., of Preston, Ont., pointing out that they rendered an account on the 22nd November, 1924, for school desks to the value of $88.50 supplied for the Gibson Indian Day School at Bala, and they state that the said account has not been paid. It appears that the invoice in duplicate was sent to you about the date mentioned. If you did not submit a certified voucher to the Department, and apparently you did not, you should attend to the matter at once, it being understood that the desks charged for were received in good order. It is regretted that this matter did not receive attention at the proper time.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J.D.McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M.Daly,Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.
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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 20 1926
RECORDS

CABLE CODE "DESKS"
TELEGRAPHIC CODES
A.B.C. 4TH EDITION
WESTERN UNION

Preston, Ont. September 18th, 1926

Ref. 22-1-5.

File

Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Dear Sir,-

We thank you for your letter of September 16th having reference to our account of $88.50 for desks supplied for use at the Gibson Indian Day School, Bala. As you suggest, we are mailing to Mr. Daly to-day copy of our invoice of November 22, 1923, in duplicate.

We are,

Yours very truly,

THE CANADIAN OFFICE AND
SCHOOL FURNITURE CO., LIMITED

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 20 1926
RECORDS

.....Parry...Sound,...Ont...,.....

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. T-765
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

.....Sept..16,.....19 26

Sir,—

Replying to yours of the 16th inst. 22-15 re- bill from Canadian Office and School Furniture Co.Ltd., of Preston, Ont. amounting to $88.50 for desks supplied to Gibson school, I have to state that I have no record of this bill being passed through this office but I do distinctly remember the cartage bill being sent which was paid by Mr.Steeds, the school master at that time. This bill was paid by the Dept. after an explanation of distance carted,was furnished.

I have written to the Company, asking them to submit the bill and apologizing for the delay in settling same, and I will forward it in the usual way when it is received.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory and regretting that the Company has been kept so long without a settlement of this account.

ACCOUNTANTS
SEP 01926
BRANCH

I have the honour to be.
Sir:
Your obedient servant,

John. M. Daly

Agent.

J.D.McLean Esq.,
Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No 22-I-5 ..... dated Sept. 16/26	
	To desks supplied Gibsom School	
	(as per statement attached)	88 50

THE CANADIAN OFFICE & SCHOOL FURNITURE CO., LIMITED

MANUFACTURERS OF

OFFICE, SCHOOL, CHURCH, LODGE AND OPERA FURNITURE

BANK, OFFICE, HOTEL, DRUG AND JEWELRY STORE AND COURT HOUSE FITTINGS

A SPECIALTY

PRESTON, ONT. November 22nd, 1926, 192

SOLD TO Department of Indian Affairs.

No. 36380-C Ottawa, Ontario.

CONVEYANCE CPR TERMS NET

22-1-5	6	No. 1 B.B.A. Single desks	7.20	43.20	
11-19-23 C.	6	No. 3 " " " " " " f.o.b.	6.95	41.75 84.90	
	12	Pieces set up & crated	.30	3.60	88.50
		Not subject to sales tax.			
		Shipped to Fred G. Steads, Teacher. Gibson Indian Day School. Bala Station, Ont.			
		Invoice to John M. Daly, Esq., Indian Agent. Parry Sound, Ont.			
		Duplicate.			

COPELAND-CHATTERSON LIMITED BRAMPTON ONT. 15248-25

all of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

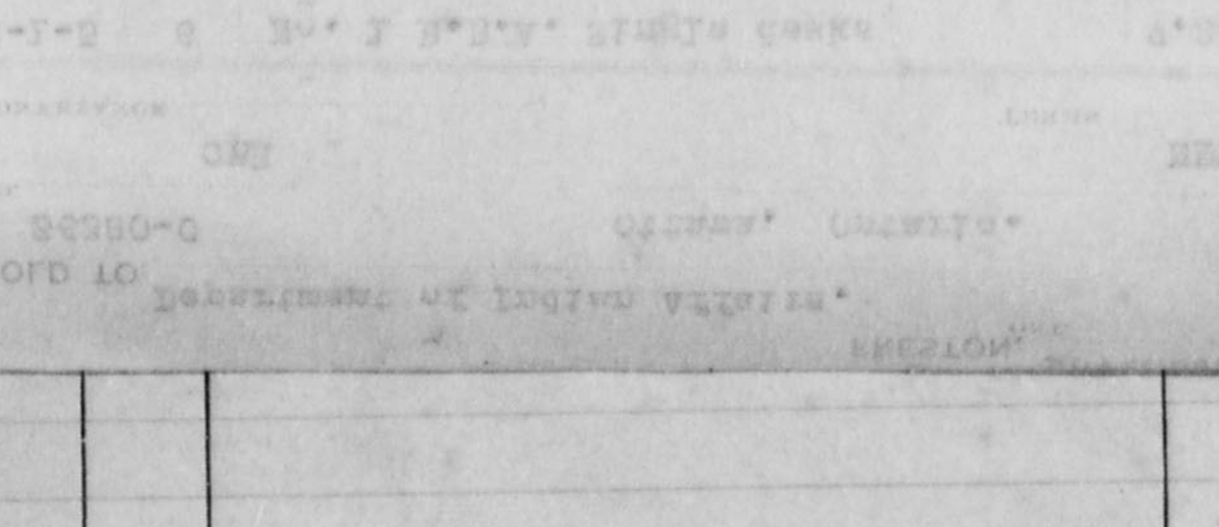
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INDIAN OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 29 1926
RECORDS

At Parry Sound Nov 26 1926

MEMO.

R. D. Ferrier Esq
Supt Indian Educations

Dear Mr Ferrier

Shawanaga - 10 00
Sabaimikong - 10 00
Rayside 10 00
Moraviantown 5 00
Iowa Fund 5 00

The Christmas season is about on us now and of course I am anxious to know how all my Indian kiddies are going to fare on the X mas Trees
All the schools are organized and are having their concerts and so forth to get the wherewithal to load the trees
The teachers are expecting the grant but I cannot pay if it will be unless you say so
Will you be good enough to say if we can have the same grant as we had last year This is one of the joys of being an Agent to make the kiddies happy pleas say yes
Kindest regards to the staff

Yours truly
John M. Daly
Indian Sup't'cy, Parry Sound

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, November 29th, 1926.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 26th instant, requesting that a grant be provided for the purchase of supplies for a Christmas treat for the pupils of the Indian day schools in your Agency.

In reply I beg to say that you may incur an expenditure for this purpose for each of the schools as follows:

Shawanaga.....	$10.00,
Gibson.....	10.00,
Ryerson.....	10.00,
Maganetawan.....	5.00,
Lower French River.....	5.00.

These amounts should not be exceeded in the case of each school.

Please forward properly certified vouchers, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred for each school separately.

I note that each of these schools is arranging for a concert and Christmas tree, and hope that the closing exercises will be a success.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. W. Burgess. Bala. Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Nov. 29/26	
	To goods supplied for Xmas Tree Gibson Indian Day School, (as per statement attached)	10 00

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

BALA, ONT., Dec 21 1926

M Dept Indian affairs
to J Daly Parry Sound

ACCOUNT LETTER FOLIO

BOUGHT OF **J. W. BURGESS LIMITED** Get by Mr Godden

DEALERS IN GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, PAINTS AND OILS, HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS' AND CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
	Mosquito Netting .35				
3	doz oranges 3.00				
3	" apples 2.50				
14	lbs Nuts 4.15			10 00	✓
	1873 sent 10/11/26				

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John W. Daly
Agent.

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To J. W. Burgess, Bala, Ont.

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John W. Waldaley
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To McKinley Hardware, Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-4 dated Nov. 26/27	
	To goods supplied to Gibson Indian Day School.(as per statement attached)	4 85

W. R. McKINLEY — W. H. WADDELL

CHEVROLET

DEALERS IN CHEVROLET CARS

PARRY SOUND, ONT., Dec 31 1926

M Indian Agent

Gibson Reserve

IN ACCOUNT WITH

McKINLEY HARDWARE CO.

GENERAL HARDWARE, STOVES AND TINWARE

Dec 13.	1 dust pan		35
	1 Broom		1.00
	1 pail		75
	6 window forts		90
	1 padlock		85
	4 glass 10 x 12		40
	1 # putty		10
	express		50
			4.85

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John M. Daly

..... Agent.

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

T-874

Parry Sound, Ont.,

Feb. 28, 1927.

The Secretary,
Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir:

Enclosed please find Bank Draft No. 27, amounting to $15.00, being for dues on Henry Miller's cut and Jacob Judge's cut on Parry Island Reserve, and also cheque No. 44857, amounting to $5.00 being for rental of school house, Gibson Reserve, for the election which was held in Oct. and which Frank Decaire forwarded to me yesterday.

EXTRACT ON 30822-1

Retained 8l.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory.

I have the honour to be.
Sir:
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

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BANK RECEIPT No. 3715

Amt. $5 00

Chy.

Date ..... 19.....

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MAR 2 1927
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Entered Journal No. 24 Folio 156 JMB

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Isaiah Sahanatien, Gibson Band.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-4 dated Nov. 26/26	
	To labour on Gibson Indian Day School (as per statemant attached)	2 00

The Dept of Indian Affairs
In account with
Isaiah Sahanatien, Gibson

10 work done at Gibson Reserve School fixing window fasteners, coat pegs and seats.

5 hours @ 40 cents $2.00

$2.00

EXAMINED and found correct.

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sent 21/6/27
to acct

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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John M. Daly
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JUN 18 1927
RECORDS

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

June 16, 1927.

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to $ 2.00 *in favour*

of Isaiah Sahanatien, Gibson Band.

for Labour on Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-4 *dated* Nov. 26/26

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

ACCOUNTANTS
JUN 18 1927
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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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PHONE QUEEN 499

KETCHUM & COMPANY, LIMITED

Sporting and Athletic Goods

CLEVELAND BYCYCLES—ELTO MOTORS—CHESTNUT CANOES
FISHING TACKLE — GUNS AND AMMUNITION — ROW BOATS

SOLD TO Dept. of Indian Affairs, Booth Bldg.

OTTAWA, ONTARIO Dec. 2, 1927

G/C 123

TERMS CASH. Interest at 8% per annum charged on all overdue accounts.

O # 22-1-4

To 1 Football		4.75
For Gibson Indian Day School		

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 12 1927

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 10 1927
RECORDS

EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR JOHNSON, dated October 31st, 1927, on his inspection of the Gibson Indian Day School.

Original on File 22-1-6.

Wash basin, soap and towels should be provided so that the children would be able to wash up after their noonday lunch if at no other time.

The axe is missing and should be replaced.

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Ottawa, December 12, 1927.

Sir:

I have to inform you that the Department will provide a grant at each of the day schools in your Agency for the purpose of providing a treat for the pupils at Christmas. The amount which is provided for each of the schools is as follows:

Shawanaga	$10,
Gibson	10,
Ryerson	10,
Maganetawan.....	5,
Lower French River	5.

You will be good enough to inform the teachers of these schools accordingly, and either you or the teachers should arrange for the purchase of the supplies considered suitable by them for the purpose of providing treats to the pupils. The above authorized amounts should not be exceeded in each case.

Please forward a properly certified voucher, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred for each of these schools separately.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Actg . Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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D.C.A.F.

Ottawa, December 12, 1927.

Sir:

The Public School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Gibson Indian Day School, recommends that a wash basin, soap and towels be provided in order that the children can wash at noon. He also states that the axe is missing and that a new one should be supplied.

I have, therefore, to request that you will arrange for the purchase and delivery of a wash basin, a quantity of laundry soap and a small supply of towelling, as well as an axe, with handle, complete.

After these supplies have been delivered, please forward a certified voucher, in duplicate, in the usual manner covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie

A. F. MacKenzie,
Actg. Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A. N. Fenn, Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-4 dated Dec. 1/27	
	To Supplies Gibson Indain Day School (as per statement attached)	7.45

Duplicate

PARRY SOUND'S HARDWARE AND FURNITURE STORE

Parry Sound Dec 14-th 1927

M Dept of Indain Affairs
c/o J. McLay. Parry Sound.
Gibson Indain Day School

IN ACCT. WITH **A. N. FENN** Gibson Reserve
HARDWARE & FURNITURE Bala.

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED. POLIO. INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

Dec 6	To 2 draw knives	90	1	80
	1-3/4 socket chisel			95
	1-5/8 Gouge "			45
	1 spoke shave			90
	1-10" hacksaw			45
	1 clamp			95
	1 thermometer			45
	2 wash basins	30		60
	1 galv. pail			35
	Express			55
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John McDonald
Agent.

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DEC 20 1927 RECORDED

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A.N. Fenn. Parry Sound.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Dec. 12/27	
	To Supplied, Indian Day School, Gibson Reserve. (As per statement attached)	6.45

PARRY SOUND'S HARDWARE AND FURNITURE STORE

Parry Sound Dec 15th 1927.

M Dept of Indian Affairs
~~Jos. J.M. Slatey~~ Parry Sound
Indian day ~~School~~
Gibson Reserve
Bala.

IN ACCT. WITH **A. N. FENN**

HARDWARE & FURNITURE

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED. FOLIO. INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

Dec 15	To wash basin	85
	12 bars soap	1 00
	4 yds toweling 30	1 20
	1 hdled. axe	2 10
	1 broom	75
	express	55
		6 45

7897 Dept of Ind Affairs 22/12/27.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above account is correct and that the work performed and the materials furnished are charged at each item

.....
Agent.

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John McDaley
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Fred. J. Reid, Sahanatien P.O. Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No 22-1-5 dated Dec. 12/27	
	To supplies for Christmas Tree, Gibson Band, (as per statement attached,)	10. 06

THE T. EATON Co LIMITED
CANADA

THE SHOPPING SERVICE

Order shipped to Bala

TORONTO Dec. 23, 1927.

M Fred J. Reid, Esq.,

Sahanatien, Ontario

Memo Invoice

White 1300	2	Rubber dolls		50
	1	Rattle		25
	3	Dolls		45
	1	Lamb		25
	4	Dolls		76
	2	Paint boxes		40
	1	Book		10
	2	Picture blocks		50
	2	Motor cars		50
Buff 186	2	Bubblers		30
	2	Balls		30
	3	Mouth organs		30
	2	Crayon painting sets		50
	2	Artists' Lessons		20
	3	Tops		45
	4	Pencils (Boys)		60
	6	Pencils (girls)	1	05
	1	Box handkerchiefs		50
	43	Sticks and pges. candies	2	15
		Total	$10	06

LK/FS

Paid

8L 20/ send 20/1/28

7277-5/27

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No. of Account 123

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

...nation...P.Q...Ont.

...06

EXAMINED and found correct.

8620
sub20/1/24.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

.....
Agent.

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Please supply the bearer with $ 10.00

of articles suitable for gifts on Christmas Tree

Charge same to Department Indian Affairs,

per John M. Daly, Indian Agent, Parry Sound.

Make out bills in triplicate. Thanks.

John M. Daly.

Indian Sup't'cy, Parry Sound

Per E.H.D.

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JAN 18 1928
RECORDS

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

JAN 18 1928
BRANCH

T-1133

Parry Sound, Ont.
Jan. 16, 1928

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir:

Please find bill for Christmas supplies of Gibson Indian Day School. Mr. Reid paid this bill, therefore, I am forwarding the bill in Mr. Reid's name, also bill for supplies sent from Ottawa, to Bala Park and sent back from C.N.R. to C.P.R.station Bala.

I should state that Bala Park on the C.N.R. is about three miles off the road to Gibson Reserve. The C.P.R. is the proper station to send supplies to Gibson Reserve.

Trusting Mr. Reid will get this cheque as soon as possible as I know he has not received his cheque for quarter ending 1927.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant.

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.
Enc.

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Ottawa, 30th January, 1926.

Sir,-

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, regarding supplies which were furnished the Gibson Indian School at Christmas time, I returnherewith the account of $1.35 for freight charges made by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company . It is not apparent from your letter whether you wish to have this account paid to the Company or whether you wish to have the amount thereof refunded to Mr Reid. The voucher which you forwarded in the latter's favour did not include the $1.35 charge for freight, and the Company's account is not receipted.. If Mr Reid made payment of this amount the account should be receipted, and it should be attached to certified vouchers in his favour for $.1.35. The Department has paid the account of $10.06 which you forwarded from Mr Reid.

Your obedient servant.

A.F. MacKenzie.
Acting AsstD Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly Esqr.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Rev. F. J. Reid.

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
1928				
Feb	4	To charges on school material as per paid bill Gibson Reserve. School.	1	35

EXAMINED and found correct.

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9115
sent 6/2/28

I Hereby Certify that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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..... Agent.

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CANADA

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 3 1928
RECORDS
OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

T-1151

Parry Sound, Ont.
Feb.1, 1928

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir:

Enclosed please find bill of charges on C.P.R. for school material sent by C.N.R. which had to be transferred to C.P.R. for delivery to the Rev. F.J. Reid, school master at Sahanatien, Gibson Reserve.

This bill was returned to me for signature of Agent. Please have cheque made out for Rev. F.J. Reid, Sahanatien,

Your earliest consideration will be appreciated.

Trusting this will be satisfactory.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.

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School Vol

SPORTING GOODS DEPT.
PHONE QUEEN 499

BOAT HOUSE
RIDEAU 2414

KETCHUM & COMPANY, LIMITED

Sporting and Athletic Goods

CLEVELAND BYCYCLES—ELTO MOTORS—CHESTNUT CANOES
FISHING TACKLE — GUNS AND AMMUNITION — ROW BOATS

KETCHUM & CO. LIMITED · OTTAWA ·

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 7 1928
RECORDS

SOLD TO Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Booth Bldg.

OTTAWA, ONTARIO April 4, 1928

TERMS CASH. Interest at 8% per annum charged on all overdue accounts.

O # 22-1-4

To 2 Indoor B Balls @ 1.40		2.80	

Gibson Indian Adopted

Certified correct,
supplies furnished,
charges fair and just.

247

EXAMINED
found correct

ACCOUNTANTS

2.80
2.50
10 3
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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. W. Burgess Ltd. Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To supplies for Gibson Indian Day School, (as per statement attached)	2.09

KEEP THIS BILL — PLEASE CALL AGAIN

Bought of **J. W. BURGESS LIMITED**

GENERAL MERCHANTS

TERMS CASH

Bala, Ont., May 11 19 28

M r Daly Indian Agent

Sold by	Got by			

COPELAND-CHATTERSON SYSTEMS BRAMPTON ONT.

1	4	Lights 10" x 12" Glass			4 75
2	1	Padlock			60
3	1	Brush			30
4	2	Putty			
5					209
6					
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20					

Sent 8/6/28

12/10

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Daly
Agent.

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No. of Account..... Sch

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Dep[illegible] ...la., Ont.....

DATE			AMOUNT
			2.09
			Sent 8 16/28
			12 10

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 6 1928
RECORDS

T-1521

Parry Sound, Ont.
June 5, 1928

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir:

I have to report that on my last visit to Gibson Reserve, I found it necessary to order the following material for the fixing of the School.

Enclosed please find bill for same, as submitted by J. W. Burgess, Limited, Merchants, Bala.

Trusting this will meet with the approval of the Department.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.

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KETCHUM & COMPANY, LIMITED

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CLEVELAND BYCYCLES—ELTO MOTORS—CHESTNUT CANOES
FISHING TACKLE — GUNS AND AMMUNITION — ROW BOATS

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 21 1928

SOLD TO Dept. of Indian Affairs

Booth Bldg.

OTTAWA, ONTARIO July 9

TERMS CASH. Interest at 8% per annum charged on all overdue accounts. # 22-1-4

To B Ball				
Football		6.15		
		6.15		
		12.30	1.40	
			4.75	6.15
		24.28		

2253

For Gibson Indian Day School July

Certified correct, supplies furnished, charges fair and just.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUL 28 1928

ACCOUNTANTS
JUL 31 1928

EXAMINED and found correct.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Rev. F. Reed, Sabanatien P.O. Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To work done on stove at Gibson School.	
	(as per statement attached)	1.00

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 19 1928
RECORDS

Oct. 17. 1928

Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Rev. F. Reed.
School Teacher
Gibson Reserve:

Repairs on stove door (Gibson School) .75
Cartage .25

$1.00.

Sept 6th 4140

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Rev. F. Reed, Sahanatien P.O. Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To work done on stove at Gibson School.	
	(as per statement attached)	1.00

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 19 1928
RECORDS

J.H. Gibson
Acct. 22/28.
Sent 6 dc
4140

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

R

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To McKinley Hardware Co. Parry Sound. Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-4 dated July 4/28	
	To goods for Gibson Indian Day School	
	(as per statement attached.	2.35

W. R. McKINLEY — W. H. WADDELL

CHEVROLET

DEALERS IN CHEVROLET CARS

PARRY SOUND, ONT. Oct 31 192 8

M Indian Agent.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

McKINLEY HARDWARE CO.

GENERAL HARDWARE, STOVES AND TINWARE

Sept 7	1 Broom	1 00
	2 glass 10X12	15
	6 cups	1 20
		2 35

2/2

9/28

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

No. of Account .....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

...Sound..Ont.

OUNT

2.35

EXAMINED and found correct.

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2.35
2.07
4.42

4633

Nov. 9/28

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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22-1-5

Ottawa, November 24th, 1928.

Sir,-

I have to inform you that the Department will provide a grant at each of the day schools in your agency for the purpose of providing a treat for the pupils at Christmas. The amount which is provided for each of the schools is as follows:-

Shawanaga	$10.
Gibson	10.
Ryerson	10.
Maganetawan	5.
Lower French River	5.

You will be good enough to inform the teachers of these schools accordingly and either you or the teachers should arrange for the purchase of the supplies considered suitable by them for the purpose of providing treats to the pupils. The above authorized amounts should not be exceeded in each case.

Please forward a properly certified voucher, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred for each of these schools separately.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean.
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 16 1929

REQUISITION FOR SCHOOL MATERIAL

For Gibson Day School on Gibson Indian Reserve

Reserve in Parry Sound Agency.

Date March 11 1929

ARTICLES	NO. ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NO. REQUIRED	NO. AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
Broom			1		
Water Pail			1		
Lock for door.					School Door

ACCOUNTANT
MAR 18 1929

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAR 19 1929

Address to which above supplies are to be sent:

Name Edith Fulcher

School Gibson Day School

Post Office (nearest) Bala, Ont.

Express Office (nearest) Bala, Ont

Province Ontario

Number of Pupils on Roll 30

do in 1st Standard 14

do in 2nd do 3

do in 3rd do 5

do in 4th do 3

do in 5th do 3

do in 6th do 2

NOTE.—To avoid delay and correspondence in filling Requisitions, the teacher should give full particulars regarding each article required. The name, series, number of grade and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

Edith Fulcher
Teacher.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial schools.

John W. Daly
Indian Supt. or Agent.

A separate form to be used for each school.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, March 19, 1929.

Sir:

Relative to the requisition from the teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, I beg to say that you may arrange for the purchase and delivery of the following:-

1 broom
1 galvanized water pail.

You may also arrange for the purchase and installation of a lock on the door of the school. Please forward certified accounts, in duplicate, in the usual manner, covering the cost.

Your obedient servant.

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account 1st

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A. N. Fenn, Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Mar. 19/29		
Apr. 4	To supplies for Gibson School.	2.	55 ✓

EXAMINED and found correct

16/4/29

214

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly

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PARRY SOUND'S HARDWARE AND FURNITURE STORE

Parry Sound, Apr. 14 192 9.

M. Dept of Indian affairs
c/o J. M. Daly. Parry Sound.
[redacted]
Gutson Reserve, Bala Ont

In Account with

A. N. FENN

HARDWARE & FURNITURE

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED. FOLIO. INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Apr 4	To	1 Broom	1	00	
		1 Pail		70	
		1 Rim Door Lock		40	
		Freight		45	
					255

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 13 1929
RECORDS

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

Acct.

April 11. *192* 9

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-5 ,

amounting to $ 2. 55 *in favour*

of A. N. Fenn Parry Sound.

for Supplies for Gibson School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* Mar. 19/29

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

Pay
Ppd

ACCOUNTANTS
APR 13 1929
OTTAWA

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Gibson Band.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To James News.

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
		To three days work, repairs to Gibson School. (as per statement attached.)	9.	00

EXAMINED and found correct.

.....

.....

Sept 30-4-29

502

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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Apr 25. 1929.

Dept Indian Affairs
In ap
James Hews
Gibson Reserve.

Repairs to Gibson School.

To three days work fixing door of school, fixing stops of toilets, moving toilets, and gravelling front of the school .... @ $3.00 per day — $9.00

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Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

April 25, *1929*

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to $ 9.00 *in favour*

of James News.

for Repairs on Gibson School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No.....dated.....

Your obedient servant,

John McDonald

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To ..... **Isaac News.** .....

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. ..... dated		
		To three days work-repairs on Gibson School and team work, hauling gravel As per statement attached/	10.	00

EXAMINED and found correct.

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.....

Surveyor 30-4-29

5035

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John McDonald
..... Agent.

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Dept Indian Affairs
In acct
Isaac Lewis.
Gibson Band

Repairs to Gibson School-

To three days work, fixing door of school, fixing aprons of toilets, moving toilets and gravelling in front of school @ $3.00	$9.00
To Team work hauling gravel —	1.00
	10.00

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Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

April 25. *192* 9

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to $ 10.00 *in favour*

of Isaac News.

for Repairs on Gibson School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No.....dated.....

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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CANADA

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 27 1929
RECORDS

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

T-1699

Parry Sound, Ont.
April 25, 1929.

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir!

Enclosed please find bills for repairs on Gibson School. $9.00 for James News, and $10.00 for Isaac News.

In explanation of these bills, I have to state that on my last visit to Gibson, the toilets of this school had to be fixed up. The aprons around them were heaved with the frost. The platform at the school door was in the same condition. Two boards were broken off the door of the school. It is a slat door.

I consider that I have got this labour done at a very reasonable price.

I trust that the Department will approve of my action in having this state of affairs at the school remedied.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

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No. of Account feb

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Isaac News.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To one quart of paint, used to paint door of Gibson School.	$1.20

EXAMINED and found correct.

.....

Agent 15 Sept 31-5-29.

1036

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly

.....Agent.

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May 27. 1929.

Dept Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Isaac Hewes
Gibson Band.

Repairs to Gibson School.

To one quart paint. (painting door of School) $1.20.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 29 1929
RECORDS

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

May 27 *1929*

Sir,

Acct

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers R2

Nos....., *amounting to $* 1.20

in favour of Isaac News.

for Paint for repairing Gibson School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No.....dated.....

Your obedient servant,

John W. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 12 1929
RECORDS

Special Council Meeting Gibson Reserve, Sept. 9, 1929.

x x x

Moved by Isaac News, seconded by Wm. Rennie that the school be painted and hardwood floor put in as the floor is hard to keep clean.

Carried.

x x x

Parry Sound, Ont.,Sept. 10,1929

Sir:

I am not in favour of resolution No. 1 at the present time.

x x x

A reply at your earliest convenience will be appreciated.

x x x

John M. Daly.
Agent.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
SEP 14 1929

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Ottawa, September 14, 1929.

Sir:

Relative to resolution No. 10 of the special council meeting of the Gibson Band, recommending that the Gibson Indian Day School be painted and a hardwood floor put in, I have to say that the Department is not prepared to approve of having this work done at the present time, and you should inform the members of the council accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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OCT 15 '29
SCHOOLS BRANCH

Parry Sound, Ont., October 12, 1929.

Sir:

I have to report that at a meeting held at Gibson Reserve on the night of October 11th, the following resolutions were passed:

x x x

(2) Moved by Eli Commandant, seconded by David Decaire that a piece of zinc be bought to put around the stove in the school.

x x x

John M. Daly.

Agent.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
OCT 17 1929

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(Original on # 45-22)

Ottawa, October 17, 1929.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 12th instant, relative to the resolutions of the council of the Gibson Band regarding the supplying of the fuel required for the use of the Gibson Indian Day School and teacher's residence, and also to have a piece of zinc put around the stove at the school, and have to say that these resolutions are approved. You should see that the full quantity of a good grade of wood is supplied, as follows: 10 cords hardwood and 1 cord dry kindling, to be cut and delivered at the school, and 20 cords hardwood to be delivered at the teacher's residence. This fuel should be obtained at as reasonable a cost as possible. The Department will also approve of your arranging to have a piece of zinc put around the stove in the school. Certified accounts, in duplicate, should be forwarded covering the above authorized expenditures.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account 1eh

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Gibson School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A. N. Fenn, Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-4 dated Sept. 27/29		
		To supplies for Gibson Indian Day School.	7.	77

EXAMINED and found correct

..... 11/29.

Sept 25

5139.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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PARRY SOUND'S HARDWARE AND FURNITURE STORE

Parry Sound Jan 20th 1929

M Dept of Indian Affairs
c/o J M Daly. Parry Sound
Gibson Indian Day School.
Bala.

In Account with

A. N. FENN

HARDWARE & FURNITURE

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED. FOLIO. INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

Nov	18	To 6 Window Blinds		4	50		
		1 doz Coat hooks			90		
		6 glass 10 x 12			42		
		Putty & points			25		
		12 lb Galv Iron		1	20		✓
		Freight			50		
						7.	7 7

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Letter No. 22-1-4

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 22 1929
RECORDS

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

November 20. *19* 29

Agent

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-4,

amounting to $ 7. 77 *in favour*

of A. N. Fenn, Parry Sound, Ont.

for Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-4 *dated* Sept. 27. 1929.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 27 1929
RECORDS

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

T-1847

ParrySound,Ont.
November 25, 1929

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

Sir:

I have been asked by the teachers of the Agency if they can receive the orders for the Christmas tree Fund, in the following amounts:

Parry Island,	$10. 00
Shawanaga,	$10.00
Gibson,	$10.00
Lower French	$ 5.00
Magnetawan,	5.00
Moose Point.	5.00

Would the Department please send these forward at their earliest opportunity. Winter has set in, in this section of the country, and the teachers are getting ready for their Christmas festivities.

The consideration of the Department at their earliest will be appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
NOV 28 1929

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, November 27, 1929.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 25th instant, requesting authority to incur an expenditure in the purchase of supplies for a Christmas tree for each of the Indian day schools in your Agency.

In reply I have to say that you may incur an expenditure for the purpose at each of the schools as follows:

Ryerson	$10.00,
Shawanaga	10.00,
Gibson	10.00,
Lower French.....	5.00,
Maganetawan.....	5.00,
Moose Point	5.00.

You will be good enough to inform the teachers of these schools accordingly and either yourself or the teacher should arrange for the purchase of the supplies considered suitable for the purpose of providing a treat to the pupils at Christmas. The above authorized amount should not be exceeded in each case.

Please forward a properly certified voucher, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred for each school separately.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 18 1929
REGISTRY

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR G.S. JOHNSON, DATED OCTOBER 4TH, 1929, ON HIS INSPECTION OF THE GIBSON INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

Original on File 22-1-6.

Noted.

A furnacette or jacketed stove is advisable to replace the stove. Some equipment for experimentive work in Agriculture is advisable. I would suggest that the $25. outfit of Agriculture equipment put up by the Central Scientific Co., Toronto, for the Muskoka schools, be procured.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 15 1929

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Graves Bigwood & Co. Byng Inlet, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Nov. 27/29	
	To supplies for School Christmas	
	Tree, Magnetawan Indian Day School.	5. 00

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Serv'g

6492

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

EXAMINED and found correct.

John M. Waly
Agent.

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GRAVES, BIGWOOD & CO.

MANUFACTURERS OF PINE LUMBER

BYNG INLET, ONT., Dec 21st / 29 19

SOLD TO Miss Cletus McCool. Teacher

Maganetawan Indian Day School.

Dec 20 To	4 Doz Oranges	@ 58¢ per doz	$ 2.32
	8 lbs Mixed Nuts	@ 25¢ " lb	2.00
	9 " Apples	@ 7½¢ " "	.68
			$ 5.00

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DEC 26 1929
RECORDS

CANADA

Letter No. 22-1-5

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

December 23, *19* 29

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-5 ,

amounting to $ 5.00 *in favour*

of Graves, Bigwood, and Co. Byng Inlet, Ont.

for Supplies for School Christmas Tree, Magnetawan Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* November 27. 1929.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To H. Y. Davidson, Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Nov. 27/29	
	To supplies for School Christmas Tree, Gibson Indian Day School.	8.20

6394
Jan. 3/30.

649

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

EXAMINED and found correct.

J.W. Shore

John M. Daly
Agent.

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Bought of **H. Y. DAVIDSON**

DEALER IN

DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES, GENTS' FURNISHINGS

LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR

Bala, Dec 21 1929

M [redacted] John A Ward

	Account Forwarded		
6 yds. Netting	15		90
6 Boxes Handkerchiefs	50	3	00
8 ties	35	2	80
6 [redacted]			
6 pr. Stockings	25	1	50
		8	20

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 26 1929
RECORDS

Letter No. 22-1-5

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

December 24, *19* 29

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-5 ,

amounting to $ 8.20 *in favour*

of H.Y. Davidson, Bala, Ont.

for Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School Christmas Tree

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* Nov.27/29

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Gibson Indian Day School

To J. W. Burgess. Ltd. Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Dec. 27/29		
	To mixed nuts for School Christmas Tree Gibson Indian Day School	1.	80

for 9-1-30.

6491

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

EXAMINED and found correct.

John M. Daly Agent.

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ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY

ACCOUNT NO.

LETTER	FOLIO
D.	7

BALA, ONT., Dec 27 1929

M Dept. Indian Affairs

by Rev Mr Wards

IN ACCOUNT WITH

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

DEALERS IN

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, PAINTS AND OILS
HARDWARE, TINWARE, TOURISTS AND CAMPING REQUISITES

EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Dec	2	mis mats	1 80

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Letter No. 22-1-5

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

December 28. 19 29

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-5 ,

amounting to $ 1.80 *in favour*

of J.W. Burgess Ltd. Bala, Ont.

for Supplies for Christmas Tree, Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* Nov.27, 1929.

Your obedient servant,

Parry Sound.

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 30 1929
RECORDS

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Parry Sound, Ont.
December 28, 1929.

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir:

Enclosed please find bill for $1.80 for mixed nuts for the Christmas Tree, at Gibson Indian Day School.

This bill, along with one forwarded to the Department for $8.20 for H. Y. Davidson Bala, makes the $10.00 for the Christmas Tree.

Trusting this will be satisfactory,

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.
Encl.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Jackson & Limbert, Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-4 dated Mar. 31. 1930		
	To twelve slates for the Gibson Indian Day School.	5.	19.

EXAMINED and found correct.

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.....

.....

Sent 2.
1045

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent

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Letter No. 22-1-4

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 7 1930
RECORDS

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

May 5th, 1930 19...

Sir,

O.I.X.H.

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-4 ,

amounting to $ 5.19 *in favour*

of Jackson and Limbert, Parry Sound, Ont.

for Twelve slates for the Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-4 *dated* March 31. 1930

Your obedient servant,

John M Daly

Indian Agent.

ACCOUNTANTS
MAY 7 1930

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. W. Burgess, Ltd. Sale, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....	
	To supplies for Gibson Indian Day School	1.42 ✓

EXAMINED and found correct.

.....

Acct 19-6 30

1730

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent

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DEALERS IN

GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED

PAINTS, HARDWARE AND FURNITURE

TOURISTS' AND CAMPERS' SUPPLIES

BALA, ONT., June 10 19 30

Department of Indian Affairs -For Gibson Indian Day School
on order of John M.Daly.

June 10	6 lights glass		½ 12¢	.72
	1 Broom			.70
				1.42 ✓

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Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

June 13, *19* 30

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $ 1.42. *in favour*

of J.W. Burgess, Merchant, Bala, Ont.

for Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No...... *dated*.....

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 16 19[illegible]
RECORDS

T- 2040

Parry Sound, Ont.
June 13, 1930.

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir!

Enclosed please find bill for six lights and one broom for the Indian Day School Gibson Reserve.

I have found on visiting at the Reserve, that these were necessary and told Mr. Ward he could get same at Bala. These goods have been supplied.

Trusting this will meet with the approval of the Department.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.
Enclosure.

ACCOUNTANTS
JUN 19 1930
BRANCH

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JUN 19 1930
RECORDS

EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR GEO. S. JOHNSON, DATED JUNE 4TH, 1930, ON HIS INSPECTION OF THE GIBSON INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 21 1930

Original on File 22-1-6.

Boys' water closet is in very bad condition and should be kept clean. Walls are defaced with writing.

Porch of school also defaced with writing.

School floor is very shaky. A new floor is badly needed.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, June 21, 1930.

Sir:

The Public School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Gibson Indian Day School, makes the following comments:

> "Boys' water closet is in very bad condition and should be kept clean. Walls are defaced with writing. Porch of school also defaced with writing. School floor is very shaky. A new floor is badly needed."

I shall be pleased if you will arrange, during the coming holidays, to have the closets thoroughly cleaned out and placed in a good, sanitary condition.

You might furnish an estimate of the cost of installing a new floor in the school, and if any redecorating is required in the porch, you should state the cost of same. Our funds for the present fiscal year are limited, and if a new floor is not absolutely necessary this matter could stand over. We will, however, await your report as to the cost, etc.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Received from J. M. Kelly

on account of Indian Affairs

the sum of Five 00/100 Dollars

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

J.L. 7146 1923

Ent'd.

Mgr.

Pro. Manager.

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DEC 1 1930
OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

T?-3058

ParrySound,Ont.
November 29. 1930

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

Sir;

Enclosed please find Order on the Receiver General No. 174, for $5.00, received from Chief Mitchell Franks, for the use of the School house at Gibson Reserve for the election.

Trusting this will be satisfactory.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.
Enclosure.

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DEC 3 1930
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T-3059.

Sarry Sound, Ont.
Dec. 1. 1930

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

Sir;

The school teachers have been asking me if they will get the usual grant for the Christmas tree. They are all busy at the present time arranging to get funds and I would appreciate it very much if the usual grant for the Christmas tree fund will come through as usual.

A reply at your very earliest convenience will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 4 1930

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, December 4, 1930.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 1st instant, I have to say that the Department will approve of an expenditure of the following amounts in the purchase of supplies for a treat for the pupils in your Agency at Christmas:

Ryerson	$10.00,
Shawanaga	10.00,
Gibson	10.00,
Lower French River ..	5.00,
Maganetawan	5.00,
Moose Point	5.00.

The above amount should not be exceeded in each case.

An itemized account, in duplicate, covering the cost of the supplies should be obtained for each school separately. These you should attach to proper voucher forms, certify in the usual manner and send to the Department for payment.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Gibson School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To ..... J.W. Burgess Bala Ont. .....

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 ....dated... Dec. 4. 1930		
		To supplies for Christmas Tree, Gibson Indian Day School.	6.	46 ✓

EXAMINED and found correct.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John McDaly Agent.

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15	lbs.	Candy @ 17¢	2.55
5	"	Candy @ 20¢	1.00
		Mixed Nuts & Peanuts	2.00
5½	"	Candy @ 17¢	.91
			$6.46

Taken by Mr. Daly, Parry Sound.

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DEC 31 1930
RECORDS

Letter No. 22-1-65

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

December 29, 1930 19...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-5 ,

amounting to $ 6. 46. *in favour*

of J. W. Burgess Limited, Bala , Ont.

for Supplies for Christmas Tree, Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* December 4, 1930.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Gibson Indian Day School.

To H. Y. Davidson, Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Dec. 4. 1930.		
	To supplies for Christmas Tree,		
	Gibson Indian Day School	3.	54.

EXAMINED and found correct.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent

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Bought of **H. Y. DAVIDSON**

DEALER IN

DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES, GENTS' FURNISHINGS

LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR

[redacted]ala, Dec 20 1920

M[illegible]s Edward

	Account Forwarded		
7 [illegible]		1	75
2 Hats		1	00
4 yds Cotton			60
Pins			10
Thread			9
		3	54

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RECORDS

Letter No. 22-1-5

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

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December 29, 1930.19

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-5 ,

amounting to $ 3.54. *in favour*

of H. Y Davidson, Bala, Ont.

for Supplies for Christmas Tree Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* Dec. 4. 1930.

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH
JAN 2 1931

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Albert Commandant,

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
	To freight paid on roll of wire and gate for Gibson School.	2.	18 ✓

Sent 19/12/30

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John McDaley
Agent

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Parry Sound, Ont.
Dec. 12. 1930

Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,
In acct. with.

Albert Commandant,

To freight paid on roll of wire and
Gate for Gibson Indian Day School. 2. 18.

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Letter No.....

Office of the ParrySound,Ont. *Indian Agency,*

Dec.12. 1930 *19*....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $ 2. 18 *in favour*

of Albert Commandant,
Gibson School.

for Freight paid on roll of wire and gate for the

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No...... *dated*.....

Your obedient servant,

John M Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Letter No.....

Office of the ParrySound,Ont. *Indian Agency,*

Dec.12. 1930 *19*....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $ 2. 18 *in favour*

of Albert Commandant,

Gibson School.

for Freight paid on roll of wire and gate for the

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No...... *dated*.....

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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RECORDS

Parry Sound, Ont.
Dec. 12. 1930

T-3075

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir;

Enclosed please find bill for freight on roll of wire and gate for the Gibson School.

This frieght was paid by Albert Commandant, he gave me this bill some time ago and it was not signed or stamped correctly. I returned it to him, and have just received same. I mentioned this in mine of December 6th, T-3066.

The consideration of the Department at their earliest will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.
Encl.

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF INSPECTOR McGOOKIN,
dated April 29, 1931.

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APR 30 1931
RECORDS

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Gibson School - is in fair condition with the exception of the floor which is badly worn and patched in places; a new one is needed. The school is used for all public meetings and social gatherings and for exhibits at the Fall Fairs.

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EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF MR. INSPECTOR GEO. S. JOHNSON, DATED MAY 27th, 1931, ON HIS INSPECTION OF THE GIBSON INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

Original on File 22-1-6.

The interior of the building is rather dingy and the floor is getting rather shaky.

The water closets are not in good condition and would be graded IV. They are badly marked up and soiled.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
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22-1-5.

Ottawa, June 8, 1931.

Sir:

Mr. Inspector McCookin, of this Department, and the Public School Inspector, in reports on their inspection of the Gibson Indian Day School, draw attention to the condition of the floor in the classroom, which is stated to be badly worn and is getting rather shaky.

In this connection I have to request that you will, at your convenience, forward a report regarding the installing of a new floor or the repairs that would be necessary to place the present floor in good condition. I may say that our funds for this year are extremely limited, as our appropriation was considerably reduced. Would the present floor, with a few repairs, be satisfactory until next year? If not, you should forward your recommendation, stating, in detail, the floor that would be required and the cost of material and labour, when consideration would then be given as to whether this work could be authorized this year or not.

The Public School Inspector also draws attention to the condition of the closets. He states they are badly marked up and soiled. In this connection I have to say that you may arrange to have these toilets thoroughly cleaned out and placed in a good, sanitary condition during the coming summer holidays. No unnecessary expense should be incurred, and accounts, in duplicate, properly certified, covering the cost should be forwarded in the usual manner.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. Mackenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
AUG 26 1931

Parry Sound, Ont.
August 21, 1931.

Dr. E. L. Stone,
Medical Branch
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir

Will you kindly send a supply of tooth brushes for the use of the school children in the Day schools in this Agency. Kindly send them to the following places in the care of the teacher;-

1. Magnetawan, 30
2. Lower French. two dozen.
3. Moose Deer Point. 12.
4. ParrY Island. 36.
5. Shawanaga. 36.
6. Gibson. 36.

Yours truly,

Dr. Inspr.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Gibson School.

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The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.W.Burgess, Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated July 8, 1931.		
	To material required for repairing outside toilets at the Gibson Indian Day School.	9.	45. ✓

EXAMINED and found correct

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Sept. 12-31.

Sept 2759

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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Aug. 31, 1931

SOLD TO Mr. John Daly, Indian Agent,

Parry Sound, Ont.

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Goods got by Jas Hews.

1½	Gals.	Outside Paint	8.10 ✓	
1		Brush	1.00 ✓	
1	pr.	Hinges	.35 ✓	✓
				$9.45

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Letter No. 22---1- 5

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. Indian Agency,

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS SEP 8 1931

Sept.4. 1931. 19.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-5,

amounting to $ 9. 45. in favour

of J.W. Burgess, Bala, Ont.

for Material required for repairing outised toilets at the Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter No. 22-1-5 dated July 8th, 1931.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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SEP 28 1931
RECORDS

ParrySound,Ont.
Sept.26, 1931

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. Indian Education Canada.
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
SEP 30 1931

Dear Mr. Ferrier,

I just got back yesterday morning from an inspection of the schools. As stated to you in a letter yesterday, I am very well pleased with Miss O'Meara and Mrs.Munsen, and I believe that they are going to be a success. They had their little trouble in starting up, and the houses were not as tidy as they might have been and a lot of the stuff that should have been there, such as dishes,were broken and not reported tome by the teachers.

Copies for 22-6-1 22-8-1

In having a look around, which I took time to do, I find that there will have to be some improvements made all around next summer and I am writing at this stage of the game so that you will be able to get in your estimates sufficient to cover the cost of the following;-

Gibson school requires paint outside and inside. It is very dirty and I am very dissatisfied with the appearance of the school. I would not like either you or Mr. McCookin to come and see the school as it is at the present time. The inside is very much in need of painting and the outside as well.

Entrance 22-6-8

The teacher's house at Pickeral should not be allowed to go past the summer without painting. The school, I think, will do for another year.

22-8-5

The school at Magnetawan Reserve should have been painted lasy year and is surely verymuch in need of it now.

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The school at Moose Deer Point requires painting both outside and inside.

Now, Mr. Ferrier, the reason for me bringing this to your notice is this, I have tried to keep the schools standardised by having them fit for inspection by any of the officials from headquarters at any time. Mr. McGookin can tell you about the schools at Magnetawan and Moose Point, that they are in need of painting.

I have conscientiously tried to keep down costs as much as possible, in fact I have come to the conclusion that perhaps I have been a little too tight re supplies for the teacher's houses and so forth. When I mentioned that some of these schools are isolated and out of the way to a certain extent, I think it is up to the officials of the Department , that is, you and me and everybody else,to try and make them as homelike and comfortable as possible so that we will be able to keep a good class of teachers. Then there is the dignity of the Department in owning these buildings, to be upheld. Hence my reason for bringing the matter before you at the present time so that if possible, you will be able to put through sufficient to cover the cost of the necessary improvements by the end of the financial year, next March.

22-5-1

While at Lower French School, I looked the situation over re a boat and the dock. There is no dock there. There is a floating platform, which I must give Mrs. Munsen credit for. She has had it moved down to the river; when I was there before it was high and dry .There are a lot of round boulders and the water is shallow where they have to land. As the water is low at the present time this is a good time to have this work done. I have given instructions that a place 12 ft wide be cleared and sufficiently far out in the riverso that in the event of a blow coming up in the river the boat will be away from the rocks. I should explain that the river is wide here and squalls at this time of the year will comeup and blow the boat away from the dock which causes it to hit these rocks.

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I observed that Mrs. Munsen had the boat tied , bow and stern to the platform, but when the platform is floating it moves too, so you can quite easily understand how it is possible for a boat to be pounded against the rocks.

I have satisfied Mrs. Munsen that the boat will be seaworthy for this season , so will try to keep this expense down untilnext Spring, but it will be necessary to have a good boat next spring. I will make arrangements with Scotts Boat Livery for a good strong boat which has been very slightly used and that I can procure for $50.00. This is a bargain that I am getting because of the business that I give to Scotts Boat Livery. The boat is well worth $75.00. This expenditure for boat can go into next years estimates.

Extract 18-8 22/0

About a gallon of varnish will be required for the bedroom and sitting room floors and linoleum for the kitchen in the Magnetawan Teachers house. It appears to me that they have been splitting wood in the kitchens by the look of them, and asboth these teachers Mrs. Munsen and Miss O'Meara, are quite enthusiastic about their work I think it behooves us to make them feel at home and comfortable. I would therefore recommend that varnish for the sitting room and bedroom floors and linoleum for the kitchen be procured. This building is finished in British Columbia ~~Pine~~ and at some future date the walls should be varnished in the meantime it will do but the floors will have to be fixed up.

I trust Mr. Ferrier, that you will understand the reason for this letter. These things that I am asking for at the present time are absolutely necessary and if the painting is not done the buildings will not be a credit to the Department and I should feel very vexed if they were allowed to go any longer, than next summer,without being looked after, and I am sure the officials of the Department if they were here with me would concur with my ideas.

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Contract
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Thanking you for your kind consideration in sending me ~~would~~ I believe to be good teachers. The man at Parry Island is on trial, and I think with careful handling he might be a success.

Yours truly,

John M. Daly

JMD/EK.

Indian Sup't'cy, Parry Sound

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22-1-5.

L.A.D.

Ottawa, October 3, 1931.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 26th ultimo, relative to ~~the~~ various matters concerning the Indian day schools in your Agency. It is noted that the new teachers appear satisfactory and that you believe they are going to be a success.

Regarding the painting of the various schools as mentioned by you, I have to say that the Department has no funds this year to have this work done. You might draw the matter to our attention early next spring, stating the approximate cost of the painting required at each school, including material and labour, and how you would propose having the work carried out.

You are being written in a separate communication regarding the varnish required for the bedroom and sitting room floors and linoleum for the kitchen in the teacher's residence at the Maganetawan Indian Day School.

In future, I should be pleased if, in communicating with the Department on matters affecting the schools, you would write separate letters regarding each subject. Separate letters regarding each subject would be of much assistance to the Department in dealing with the various questions expeditiously.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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L.A.H.

FORM T.N - 2.

August 20th,

SCHOOLS BRANCH OCT 9 1931

TO J. M. Daly,
INDIAN AGENT
ParrySound, Ont.

SIR:

I recommend that the children.
of ParrySound Agency DaySchools. ~~Reserve~~, be supplied with a light lunch consisting of such articles of food as cocoa, milk, rolled oats, and eskimo biscuits during the period from Oct 15th, to end of April.

My reason for making this recommendation is
To assist in maintaining the general good health of the children

Insts taken
All schools reported
No action wanted at present

D. Daly
PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

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No. of Account ..... Sch

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Gibson School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A. N. Fenn, Merchant, ParrySound, Ont

DATE		AMOUNT	
	22-1-4 Aug. 28.1931.		

Authorized by Dept. letter No. ..... dated .....

To supplies for the Gibson Indian Day School,

6. 63

EXAMINED and found correct

Sept Oct. 27/31.

3923

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Mc Daly
Agent.

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PARRY SOUND, ONT., October 20th 193

M Department of Indian Affairs

Per Mr. J. Daly

Town

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Gibson School

Bala.

A. N. FENN

HARDWARE & FURNITURE

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED FOLIO, INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Oct.	13	To 1 granite pail			1	60
		" 1 Broom			1	25
		" 6 glass 10 x 12				42
		" 1 padlock				90
		" 2 lb putty				16
		" glaziers points				5
		" 3 bags lime			2	25
					6	63

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 24 1931
RECORDS

Letter No. 22-1-4

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

Oct. 22. 1931. *19*

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-4,

amounting to $ 6. 63. *in favour*

of A.N. Fenn, Merchant, Parry Sound, Ont.

Supplies for the Gibson Indian Day School.

for

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-4 *dated* Aug. 28. 1931.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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No. of Account Sch

INDIAN TRUST FUND

Gibson School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A. N. Fenn, ParrySound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-4 dated Aug 28, 1931.		
	To freight on supplies for the Gibson Indian DaySchool, Shipped on October 15,	.	50 ✓

EXAMINED and found correct.
10-11-31.

4243

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent.

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PARRY SOUND, ONT., Nov 5th 1931

M Dept of Indian affairs

Per Mrs J. Daly.

To Gibson School Bala.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

A. N. FENN

HARDWARE & FURNITURE

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED FOLIO, INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Oct	26	To freight on goods Oct 15th				50

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ACCOUNT

FREIGHT BILL—PREPAID CHARGES

No.

A N ENN PARRY SOUND STATION OCT 15TH 31 19

TO CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, DR.

FOR CHARGES BILLED PREPAID AS NOTED BELOW

MAKE ALL CHEQUES PAYABLE TO THE ORDER OF THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

WAY-BILL Date	WAY-BILL Number	Shipping Bill No.	CAR No.	CONSIGNEE AND DESTINATION		DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES	WEIGHT	Rate	CHAR
OCT 15TH	3103	CP	206681	JOHN WARD					
				BALA ONT	1	BOX HOWE			
					1	CARTNNHOWE			
					1	PARCEL HANDLE			
					3	BAGS LIME	180	M	

Date Oct 27/31 19

Received Payment, H E Thornton Agent

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Letter No. 22-1-4

Office of the ParrySound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

November 5, 1931. *19*...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22 1 4.,

amounting to $ .50 *in favour*

of A.N. Penn, Merchant, ParrySound, Ont.

To freight on supplies for the Gibson Indian

for Day School,

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22 1 4. *dated* Aug.28. 1931

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 7 1931
RECORDS

Parry Sound, Ont.
Nov. 5, 1931.

T-3324.

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir;

Enclosed please find freight bills received from Fenns Hardware. I regret very much that the bills for the material for which these bills are for , were sent forward without the freight bills.

As I realize how much government stationery it takes up to send these bills, I wish to assure the Department that I will try and see that this wont occur again.

Trusting this will be satisfactory.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.
ENCL.

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22-1-5

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 30 1931
RECORDS

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

T-3343.

Parry Sound, Ont.
Nov. 28, 1931.

The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir;

7-9-14 I have to report that owing to the attendance at the Gibson Indian Day School, it will be necessary to have six single desks and seats, small size, and four large size desks and seats.

I have to explain that Mr. Ward has been making use of makeshifts because of my instructions to him to keep down costs, but this is a hardship on the pupils and I find it my duty to send forward the requisition. It is unfortunate under the circumstances, when we are trying to keep down costs, but it is necessary to get these desks. It is also very satisfactory to know that we have such good attendance that we need the desks.

I have been holding up Mr. Ward the teacher ever since the school term started in September, and I would respectfully request that the Department grant this request.

The consideration of the Department at their earliest will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, December 2, 1931.

Gentlemen:

Please arrange to ship as soon as possible, charges prepaid, addressed to Rev. John A. Ward, teacher, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ont., the following Preston B.B. single school desks:

6 No. 5,
4 No. 3.

The desks should be set up and crated. Ink wells to be supplied. These desks should be supplied at your lowest price F.O.B., Bala, Ont., sales tax included.

Please forward your account, in duplicate, to Mr. J. M. Daly, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont., who is being informed of the order placed with you. He is being requested, upon receipt of the desks, if in good condition, to certify the account and send it to the Department, when payment will be made.

Please acknowledge receipt of this order and state date when shipment will be made.

Yours truly,

Sgd F. H. Paget

F. H. Paget,
Accountant & Purchasing Agent.

The Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd.,
Preston,
Ont.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, December 2, 1931.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 28th ultimo, informing the Department that, owing to the increased attendance, it is necessary to have a further supply of school desks for use in the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I have to inform you that an order is today being placed with the Canadian Office & School Furniture Co. Ltd., Preston, Ont., who supplied the desks at present in use in this school, to ship, addressed to Rev. John A. Ward, Bala, Ont., the following desks:

6 No. 5 Ball bearing single school desks, pupils 7-9 yrs.,
4 No. 3 " " " , " 12-15 " .

These will be shipped set up and crated.

The above firm have been requested to forward to you their account, in duplicate, covering the cost of the desks F.O.B. Bala, sales tax included. As soon as you ascertain that the desks have been received, if in good condition, you should certify the account and send it to the Department, in order that payment can be made.

You should advise Mr. Ward of the order having been placed for these desks and arrange with him to accept delivery when they arrive at Bala and have them taken to the school and set up in the classroom. It is hoped that when these desks arrive they will be satisfactory.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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CANADIAN OFFICE & SCHOOL FURNITURE, LIMITED
PRESTON, CANADA

22-1-5

Customer's Order No. 12/2/31 ORDER No. B-942

Terms Date December 3, 1931.

Sold to Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, Ont.

Ship to Rev. John A. Ward, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ont.

Via C.P.R. prepaid When A.S.A.P. Date Shipped

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	PRICE	AMOUNT
			42.00
6	No. 5 B.B.A. single desks	7.00	~~1x00~~
4	No. 3 " " "	7.25	29.00
	F.O.B. Bala		71.00
			tax included

KP

Invoice to Mr. J. M. Daly, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont. Duplicate.

B-942

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

DEC 8 1931

ParrySound, Ont.
Dec. 7, 1931.

T/3359

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir;

The school teachers in this Agency have been asking if they will get the usual grant for the Christmas Tree.

I would appreciate it very much if the usual grant for the Christmas Tree fund will come through as usual.

A reply at your very earliest convenience will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 11 1931

Reply

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22-1-5.

EX.D.

Ottawa, December 11, 1931.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 7th instant, I have to say that the Department will approve of an expenditure not exceeding the following amounts in the purchase of supplies for a treat for the pupils of the various schools in your Agency at Christmas:

Ryerson	$10
Shawanaga	10
Gibson	10
Lower French River.....	5
Maganetawan	5
Moose Point	5.

Whoever makes the purchase of these supplies should obtain itemized accounts, in duplicate, covering the cost. These accounts should be handed to you, to be attached to proper voucher forms, certified in the usual manner and forwarded to the Department for payment.

Your obedient servant,

T. R. L. MacInnes,
Acting Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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No. of Account Sch

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To James News,

DATE			AMOUNT	
		22-1-5 June 8, 1931		
		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated.....		
		To fixing up toilets at the Gibson		
		Indian Day School. material & labour.	14.	50

23/31.

Sent Dec.

EXAMINED and found CORRECT.

5307

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Dudley
Agent

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Dec. 17. 1931.

Dept.Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

In account with,

James News

Repairing toilets in the Gibson Indian Day School.

4 days working on toilets	at $. 3.00	12.00
Planks for floor 2 pieces	at 50¢	1.00
Team work $1.50		1.50
		$ 14. 50

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DEC 19 1931
RECORDS

CANADA

Letter No. 22-15

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. Indian Agency,

Dec. 17, 1931. 19...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-5,

amounting to $ 14.50 in favour

of James News.

for Repairing toilets at the Gibson Indian Day School material & labour.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 dated June 8, 1931.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. C. McBride, Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Dec. 11.1931.	
	To supplies for the Christmas Tree,	
	Gibson Indian Day School.	10.00 ✓

5508
Sent Jan 7/32

EXAMINED and found correct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. McDonald
Agent

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TERMS CASH THANK YOU

Bought of **J. C. McBRIDE**

Dealer in

Groceries Provisions, Fruits, Etc.

[redacted], Dec 15 1921

M Dept of Indian Affairs

C/o The Dalyford Council

		Account Forwarded		
1	5 ch Oranges @ 40		2	00
2	36 lb mixed candy @ 15		5	40
3	17 1/2 lb mixed nuts @ 15		2	60
4			10	00
5	Cloy.			
6	For Xmas tree at			
7	Gibson Reserve.			
8				
9				
10				
11				
12	24			
13				

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 29 1931
RECORDS

CANADA

Letter No. 22-1-5

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

Dec. 21. 1931. *19*

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-5 *,*

amounting to $ 10.00 *in favour*

of J. C. McBride, Merchant, Bala, Ont.

Gibson Indian Day School.

for Supplies for the School Christmas Tree.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* Dec. 11. 1931.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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No. of Account 1Ch

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Preston, Ont.

To Canadian Office & School Furn. Ltd.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22--1-5 dated Dec. 2. 1931.	
	To new desks and seats for the Gibson Indian Day School.	71. 00

16-1-32.

5808

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Dale
Agent

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THE CANADIAN OFFICE & SCHOOL FURNITURE CO., LIMITED

MANUFACTURERS OF

OFFICE, SCHOOL, CHURCH, LODGE AND OPERA FURNITURE
BANK, OFFICE, HOTEL, DRUG AND JEWELRY STORE AND COURT HOUSE FITTINGS

A SPECIALTY

PRESTON, ONT. December 19, 1931.

SOLD TO Mr. J. M. Daly,
Indian Agent,
No B-942 Parry Sound, Ont.

CONVEYANCE C.P.R. prepaid TERMS

12/2/31	6	No. 5 B.B.A. single desks with inkwells	7.00	42.00 ✓	
	4	No. 3 B.B.A. " " " inkwells	7.25	29.00 ✓	
		f.o.b. Bala		71.00	71.00 ✓
				Tax included	

Rev. John A. Gibson,
Indian Day School,
Bala, Ont.

EXAMINED and found correct.

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Letter No. 22-1-5

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 11 1932
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Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

January 8, 1932. *19*

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 22-1-5 ,

amounting to $ 71.00 *in favour*

of Canadian Office & School Furniture Co.Ltd. Preston, Ont.

for New desks and seats for the Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* December 2, 1931.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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No. of Account 5952

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Chief Isaiah Sahanation,

DATE			AMOUNT
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1- 5 dated Dec.2.1931.	
		To transportation of school desks and seats from the Railway Station at Bala, to the Gibson Indian Day School, Gibson Reserve.	4.00✓

20-1-32

EXAMINED and found correct. J.H.

5952

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John J. McNally
Agent

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Parry Sound, Ont.
Jan. 13. 1932

Dept. Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

In acct with,

Chief Isaiah Sahan tien,
Gibson Band,

To transportation of seats for school, from the Railway Station at Bala, to the Gibson Indian Day School, Gibson Reserve.

$4.00 ✓

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Letter No. 22-1-5

Parry Sound, Ont.

Office of the ..... *Indian Agency,*

Jan. 13. 1932. *19*...

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $ 4.00 *in favour*

of Chief Isaiah Sahanatien,

for Transportation of school desks and seats from Bala to the Gibson Indian Day School, Gibson Reserve.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* Dec. 2. 1931.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 14 1932
RECORDS

SCHOOL BRANCH
MAY 17

Parry Sound, Ont.
May 12, 1932.

T- 3589

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir:

I beg to submit an estimate for the painting of the various schools in this Agency, which are very much in need of painting, also for the calsomining of the teachers house at Ryerson School, and the teachers houses at Shawanaga at Magnetawan Schools.

The prices on this job have been quoted owing to the quietness of the season, with the understanding that they can get at the job right away.

Ryerson School and teachers house, two coats paint outside, two coats calsomine inside school and teachers house.		$135.00
Shawanaga School	Two coats paint, outside & inside. teachers house, two coats paint outside and calsomining inside.	145.00
Magnetawan School.	Two coats paint outside school Two coats paint inside teacher's house.	125.00
Lower French.	Two coats paint on the school and two coats paint on the teacher's house.	135.00
Moose Deer Point School.	Two coats paint inside and outside.	100.00
Gibson School.	Two coats paint, outside and inside.	100.00

740.00

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INDIAN AGENT

This is guaranteed to be a good job. They supply their own material and pay their own transportation. These prices are given as a completed job.

I consider that the prices are reasonable for the out of the way places the schools are in. I know this firm, Tucker Brothers, and I am sure they will make a good job of the painting.

Your consideration will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

JMD/EK.

Agent.

P.S. Compare these prices for same size of buildings in Ottawa and you will see what I mean by getting word back soon this is a snap that should not be missed and the buildings require the painting very much they are overdue now for painting J.M.D.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, May 18, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 12th instant, submitting a quotation which you received for the painting required at each of the six Indian day schools in the Parry Sound Agency.

In this connection I have to say that the Department will be unable to provide funds this year for the painting of all these schools. I would request that you select the three schools which are the most urgently in need of painting. It is desired, if possible, that the labour be performed by Indians, in order that they will be given an opportunity to obtain work. Could you not reconsider the matter, and obtain the services of a competent Indian for each of the three schools selected by you to be painted - a man who would be competent to do the work and oversee the labour of any extra help he might require - you to purchase all paint, oil, etc., and have same delivered at each school? We would not be prepared to authorize having the painting commenced until the first of July, next, after the schools have closed for the summer holidays. Please give the matter of the painting your further consideration, and supply full information as asked for, also the approximate cost of the material and labour for each school separately.

I may add that we have no information regarding the firm of Tucker Bros. from whom you obtained the quotation. Please state where this firm is located and if they are on the list to receive consideration.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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Estimate submitted by

Tucker Brothers, Parry Sound, for the painting of Gibson, Magnetawan, and Moose Point Schools.

Gibson School.

2 coats paint, inside and outside.	100.00
wood shed, 20 x 12 x 8	15.00
2 Toilets and aprons.	10.00
	125.00

... ...

Magnetawan School.

2 coats paint outside school.	
2 coats paint inside teachers house.	125.00
Wood shed 16 x 24	20.00
2 toilets and aprons.	10.00
	155.00

... ...

Moose Point School

2 coats paint, inside & outside.	100.00
1 double toilet	10.00
	110.00

$390.

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INDIAN AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 21 1932
REGISTRY

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAY 23 1932

T- 3600

ParrySound,Ont.
May 19, 1932.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

Sir;

I beg to report that I have made an inspection of all the schools in the Agency and after very careful consideration of the financial situation and the scarcity of funds at the disposal of the Department, enclosed please find an estimate of the painting of three schools out of the six in the Agency, in need of paint.

All six schools are in need of painting to keep them in repair, as well as from a sanitary point of view, but because I know of the shortage of money in the estimates for purposes such as this, I am submitting only three, and would strongly recommend that the Department try and arrange for a grant for the painting of these three schools. As the times get better, I would hope that the Department would be able to arrange for the painting of the other three schools, perhaps next year.

Await his answer to ours 7/6/32 RHD

In sending in the estimate to the Department in mine of May 12th, T-3589, I ommitted to put in the wood shed, and toilets. I am including same in this estimate. Tucker Brothers of Parry Sound have submitted the enclosed estimate, and considering the distances that they have to cover , it is to my mind, an exceptionally reasonable estimate for work which I know will be well done.

The distance from here to Magnetawan Reserve, on the railroad is 39 miles, and one mile from Byng Inlet Station to the reserve; the distance from here to Gibson, is 35 miles on the railroad, to Bala, and eight

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to the school in the Reserve; the distance from Parry Sound to Moose Point, via gasoline speeder is 45 miles.

I would strongly recommend that this estimate from Tucker Brothers be accepted, for the painting of these schools. The reason for me recommending that these schools be painted, is that, the Byng Inlet School, is very much in need of painting and is a landmark on the Reserve. It can be seen from the train, when passing, and there is just the difference at the present time, of this building not looking good. The school at Gibson is a centre of interest to the tourists driving to Black Lake, and the school at Moose Deer Point, is visited by a great number of tourists. These three schools should be painted this year,in order that they may be a credit to the Department.

The consideration of the Department in this matter will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.
Enclosure.

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MAY 23 1932
RECORDS

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

ParrySound, Ont.
May 21, 1932.

T- 3607

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir;

Yours of May 18th, 22-1-5 received re painting of schools in the Agency. I sent forward on May 19th, T-3600, an estimate for the painting of three schools, Magnetawan, Gibson, and Moose Deer Point.

My explanation, in letters sent forward that the Indians do not make a good job of painting, is one of the reasons why the schools require to be painted properly with a good foundation. I am taking into consideration the necessity of giving the Indians all the work possible, but in doing this in the past, I have discovered that the buildings suffer and the expenditure is not justified for the job that they make, and another reason I feel like refraining from giving the Indians the job of painting is this, that if I could get a regular job done, not patchy, by a good painter, we would have a good backing for future jobs whereby the Indians can make no mistake.

The prices as sent forward from Tucker Brothers seem to me to be very reasonable for the job that I know they will make. The TuckerBrothers have their business here in Parry Sound, and they do pretty nearly all the Government work that is to be done here. They are doing the new Post Office. It is my opinion that the Department would be well advised to accept Tuckers offer for doing these schools.

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By having Tucker Brothers do the job, we will have a good job, and if any future painting of the schools is done, there will be a good foundation for the Indians to work on, although my experience with the Indians is that they do not make a good job of painting.

Trusting this explanation will be satisfactory and that Tucker Brothers offer will be accepted.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.

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22-1-5.

May 26, 1932.

Memorandum:

MR. BUSKARD.

Three schools in the Parry Sound Indian Agency have to be painted this year. It is proposed to put on two coats, both inside and outside, and do the outbuildings. The Indian Agent cannot recommend any Indians for this work but has received a quotation, without any authority, from Tucker Brothers, of Parry Sound. The total cost for the three schools would be $390.

Would it be satisfactory to give this work to Tucker Brothers? If not, please let me know the Minister's wishes. Two schools are in the federal district of Parry Sound and one in Muskoka, Ontario.

D.C.A.
a.s.a.

Acting Deputy Superintendent General.

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Minister's Office

MEMORANDUM

C.

May 30th, 1932.

Mr. Williams.

I have your memorandum of the 26th instant regarding the painting of three schools in the Parry Sound Indian Agency.

Please advise me as to the location of the school in the Constituency of Muskoka, Ontario, and the two schools in the Federal District of Parry Sound. What I want is the name of the nearest village or town to each school.

Private Secretary.

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22-1-5.

June 1, 1932.

Memorandum:

MR. BUSKARD.

I have your memorandum of the 30th ultimo, with reference to the location of three schools in the Parry Sound Indian agency which require painting. They are:-

The Gibson Indian Day School, 9 miles from Bala and 20 miles from Bracebridge, in the federal district of Muskoka-Ontario.

The Magnetawan Indian Day School, one mile from Byng Inlet, in the federal district of Parry Sound.

The Moose Deer Point Indian Day School, at Moose Point, is quite isolated. It is 45 miles by boat from Parry Sound and is in the federal district of the same name.

Acting Deputy Superintendent General.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 28 1932
RECORDS

T- 3730

Parry Sound, Ont.
July 21, 1932.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUL 25 1932

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir;

Following mine of July 7th, I would draw the attention of the Department to my recommendation that Robert Stock, who is a returned soldier with a family of seven, receive two more rations. I have to state that when coming back from Gibson Reserve on my last trip, I met Mr. Montgomery a resident of Bala, who had the partonage for that section of the country and he informed me that Dr. McGibbon, the member for Muskoka had asked him to pick on two reliable men to paint the School at Gibson Reserve.

Montgomery told me that he wanted to discuss the matter with me before doing anything. I explained to him that Robert Stock who is a returned soldier, and a member of the Band, with a wife and six children, and Isaiah Dewasha a married man with eight children ,and both in receipt of relief, should have the privilege of doing this work. I explained to Mongromery that I would be responsible for them making a satisfactory job. He said he would send their names forward to Dr. McGibbon

- Owing to the conditions in that section of the country at the present time, and the need for assistance being granted to these men and their families, I would strongly recommend that they get this job of painting the school, woodshed and toilets at Gibson Reserve, and that it be given to them as soon as possible.

By doing this, it would relieve

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the distress of these two families.

The consideration of the Department at their very earliest will be very much appreciated by this office.

I should state for the information of the Department thatthe situation is very peculiar in the Gibson Reserve as these men have been accustomed to lumbering and doing other manual labour outside of the Reserve. They cannot procure any labour at the present time and that accounts for the hard -up condition of the members of the Band now.

A reply at the very earliest convenience of the Department will be appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

JMD/EK.

Agent.

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MEMORANDUM

Minister's Office

C.

July 27th, 1932.

Mr. Williams.

Re the painting of the Gibson Indian Day School, near Bala, Muskoka, prices for this work may be obtained from Mr. Robert Stock and Mr. Isaah Dewasha, who, I understand, reside in the neighbourhood of the school. The Indian Agent will, no doubt, be able to locate and secure quotations from them.

Private Secretary.

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Immediate

Ottawa, July 28 1922

Mr. Duncan Campbell Scott

Please report on attached letter and return it to the office of the Deputy Superintendent General.

~~Do not file~~.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, July 28, 1932.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 21st instant, relative to the painting of the Gibson Indian Day School building, woodshed and toilet, I have to say that you may obtain prices for this work from Mr. Robert Stock and Mr. Isaah Dewasha. If you are satisfied that the prices obtained from these men for carrying out the labour in painting the buildingsare satisfactory, you may arrange for them to do the work.

You should purchase from a firm on the list to receive consideration the paint, oil and other materials required. You should see that a good grade of both paint and oil is obtained. Accounts, in triplicate, properly certified, should be forwarded covering the expenditure incurred in the purchase of the materials, and time sheets, in triplicate, should be forwarded for the labour. These should be signed by the individual men and certified by yourself.

The school building is to be given two coats of paint, both inside and outside, and the woodshed and toilet one coat. You should see that a satisfactory job is completed. The Department will leave the selection of the colours for the walls and trim in your hands. If possible, the painting should be completed before the school reopens after the present summer holidays. The total cost should not exceed your estimate as stated in your letter of May 19th, last, viz., $125.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

ENCUMB. REC'N. No. 424

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

T- 3752.

Parry Sound, Ont.
August 4th, 1932.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 8 1932
RECORDS

Sir;

Replying to yours of July 28th, 22-1-5 I have to report that I have seen Robert Stock and Isaiah Dewasha and they will be glad to get the work of painting the school, woodshed and toilets at Gibson Reserve. They want 40 cents an hour straight with no deductions, which I think is reasonable, and they assure me that they will be particular and go according to my directions, which if done will be a satisfactory job.

I will arrange to go and see this job before it is finished. I have reason to believe that I will be well within the estimate of $125.00. I am allowing six days for the work, but should they be a few days more, it will still be well within the estimate.

Trusting this will be satisfactory.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.

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Form No. 18

RETURN OF LABOUR on the PAINTING - GIBSON SCHOOL on GIBSON Reserve

for week ending August 13th and 20th.

NAMES	Nature of Employment or Trade No. of Horses	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	TOTAL	PRICE PER hour	AMOUNT OF WAGES	RECEIVED PAYMENT	WITNESS
Robert Stock	Painting	4	10	10	10	10	10	54	35	18 90		
Isaiah Dewasha	"			10	10	10	10	40	35	14 00	CHEQUES TO BE ISSUED IN FAVOUR OF THE INDIVIDUAL INDIANS AND ALL CHEQUES TO JOHN M. DALY, INDIAN AGENT, PARRY SOUND, ONT.	
		Week Ending August 20th.										
Robert Stock	Painting	10	10	10	10	10		50	35	17 50		
Isaiah Dewasha	"	10	10	10	10	10		50	35	17 50		
										Total $67 90		

28/243.

ENCUMB. REQ'N. No. 42

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.

24/8/22

Rate Requested = 40¢ an hour
Rate allowed = 35¢ "

Cheque No.

Balance

(Sgd.) Robert Stock. FOREMAN

Recommended for payment

I hereby certify that the services have been performed and prices are fair and just.

(Sgd.) John M. Daly. AGENT

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

22-1-5

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT
Parry Sound

August 19 1932

T 37467

The Secretary
Department of Indian affairs
Ottawa Ontario

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 22 1932
RECORDS

ACCOUNTANTS
AUG 20
BRANCH

Sir

Enclosed please find Return of Labour Sheet for work done on the Indian Day school at Gibson Reserve
The wages paid is at the rate of 35c per hour both men wanted 40c I gave them a time limit at 40c this they have exceeded and the rate of 35c per hour gives them the same amount as if they had done the work within my time limit
Please have Cheque made out in my name as usual as both men have got supplies on the money coming to them and I have backed them in the store For goodness sake send the cheque without delay as these men are greatly in need of same The Departments consideration will be appreciated

I have the honour to be
Sir
your obident Servant
John M. Daly
Agent

ACCOUNTANTS
AUG 20
BRANCH

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JOHN M DALY.

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SEP 8 1932
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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

Gibson School.

To Ah.Penn.Parrysound,Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-8 dated July 28, 1932.		
	To paint required for painting the Gibson Indian Day School.		65.00

— TRIPLICATE FOR FILE.

Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.

ENCUMB. REQ'N. No. 42

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18/9/32

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 9 1932
RECORDS

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. Indian Agency,

September 7, 1932. 19.....

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

Nos....., amounting to $ 63.00

in favour of A.N.Penn, ParrySound, Ont.

The Gibson Indian Day School.

for Materials and paint required for painting

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 dated July 28, 1932.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

INDIAN OFFICE
SEP 12 1932
OTTAWA

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Gibson School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A.H.Fenn, Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-4 dated Sept. 21. 1932		
	To supplies required for		
	Gibson Indian Day School.	3.	35

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Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.

21/28.

5/10/32

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M Daly
Agent

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Letter No.....

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 3 1932
RECORDS

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

October 1, 1932. *19*

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $ 3.35 *in favour*

of A.N.Fenn, ParrySound, Ont.

Supplies required for the Gibson Indian
for DaySchool

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-4 *dated* Sept.21.1932.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

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The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

Gibson School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Alex. Logan, Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-4 dated Sept. 21. 1932.		
	To blinds required for the Gibson Indian Day School.	1.	70

VOTE 247
AGENCY 22
ALLOT 285

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for Accountant to pay

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Healy
Agent

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OCT 28 1932
RECORDS

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ontario. *Indian Agency,*

Oct.26,1932. *19*.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to $ 1.70 *in favour*

of Alex. Logan, Parry Sound, Ont.

for Blinds supplied for the Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-4 *dated* Sept.21.1932.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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CANADA

22-1-5

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 26 1932

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

T- 4875

ParrySound,Ont.
Nov.24,1932.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

Sir;

Replying to yours of Oct. 12th, 22-1-4 re the need of storm windows for the Gibson Indian Day school, I am convinced that these windows are required particularly on the North west side of the school, as there was snow in the school house when I arrived there on the morning of the 23rd before the school opened.

I had the windows measured, the size required is 36 x 60, and on receipt of permission from the Department I will order same and have them sent out to the Gibson Indian Day School.

The consideration of the Department at their very earliest will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK

P S. The Lumber Merchant Mr Taylor is not at home to cant get prices but the prices will be all right in any case

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, November 28, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 24th instant, relative to the supplying of storm windows for the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I have to say that the Department will approve of your having these windows made up and installed on the building as soon as possible. The Department will expect you to see that the cost is kept to the lowest possible point.

After the windows have been installed, please obtain an account, in triplicate, covering the cost. This you should attach to a proper voucher form, certify in the usual manner and forward for payment.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 5 1932
RECORDS

T- 4897

Parry Sound, Ont.
Dec. 2. 1932.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 5 1932

Sir;

The teachers in this Agency have been in town enquiring about the grant for their Christmas Tree. There is a new store open in town where they can buy articles for the Christmas Trees, and they are anxious to know if they can get the grant as usual.

The grants given each year, are as follows;

Parry Island,	$10.00 ✓
Gibson,	10.00 ✓
Lower French,	15.00 ✓
Shawanaga,	10.00 ✓
Moose Deer Point,	5.00 ✓
Magnetawan.	5.00 ✓

A reply at the very earliest convenience of the Department will be very much appreciated.

The teachers have been also enquiring about when they will get their salary cheques, for the quarter ending December. The schools here are closing on the 22nd, and I would appreciate it very much if the cheques could be here before that so that I can send the cheques to them before they leave the district, that they may be able to settle up all their bills before Christmas.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.

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22-1-5.

T-4897.

Ottawa, December 6, 1932.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 2nd instant, requesting a grant to purchase a treat for the pupils of the various schools in your agency at Christmas. In reply I have to say that, as our funds for this purpose are extremely limited this year, it is not possible to provide a grant to the same amount as allowed in previous years. You may incur an expenditure in the purchase of supplies for a treat at each of the schools in your agency, as follows:-

Ryerson	- 6 $8.00	Lower French River	- 7 $4.00
Shawanaga	- 6 8.00	Magnetawan	- 3 4.00
Gibson	- 6 8.00	Moose Deer Point	- 3 4.00

Itemized accounts, in triplicate, covering the cost of the supplies, should be obtained for each school, separately. These accounts should be handed to you, to be attached to proper voucher forms, certified in the usual manner and forwarded for payment.

Regarding the forwarding of the teachers' salary cheques for the current quarter, I have to say that, if the necessary Treasury authority is obtained, the salary cheques will be forwarded to you before the schools close for the Christmas holidays.

Your obedient servant,

T. R. L. MacInnes,
Acting Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND Gibson School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Mark Taylor Merchant, ParrySound,

DATE			AMOUNT	
		Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated November 28th, 1932.		
		To storm windows, for the Gibson Indian Day School.	22.	59.

VOTE 201
AGENCY 22
ALLOT 211

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in duplicate detached

for Accountant to pay.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent

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Folio Triplicate.

Parry Sound, Ont., Dec., 9th., 1919.

Mr.

Dept., of Indian Affairs,
Mr. J.M.Daly, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound.

In account with

MARK TAYLOR,

Terms

PARRY SOUND.

		6 Storm Windows, outside measure 37"x 60"						
		4 lights 15½ x 26, Primed and Glazed @ 3.65				21	90	
		Prepaid GP.R freight					69	
				$		22	59	
		Shipped to						
		Mr. John A. Ward, School-teacher,						
		Gibson Reserve, Bala.						
		B/L attached.						

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DEC 13 1932
RECORDS

CANADA

Letter No.....

EX No. 20

Office of the ParrySound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

December 9 1932. *19*

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $ 22. 59. *in favour*

of Mark Taylor, Lumber Merchant, ParrySound, Ont.

for Storm windows for the Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* November 28th, 1932.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.C.McBride, Bala, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Dec.8.1932.	
Dec. 24.	To supplies for the Christmas Tree , Gibson Indian Day School.	8. 00

VOTE 107
AGENCY 22
ALLOT 185

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John McKay
Agent

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EXD.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 29 1932
RECORDS

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

December 27, 1932 *19*

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $ 8. 00 *in favour*

of J.C.McBride Merchant, Bala, Ont.

Supplies for the Christmas Tree,
for Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* Dec. 8. 1932.

ACCOUNTANTS
DEC 30 1932
BRANCH

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Isaac Hews,

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Nov. 28. 1932.	
	To labour putting on storm windows, Gibson Indian Day School.	3. 90

VOTE 207
AGENCY 22
ALLOT 25-0

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent

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Letter No.....

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

Jan.9.1933. *19*.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $ 3.90 *in favour*

of Isaac News,

To labour putting on storm windows, Gibson
for Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* Nov.28, 1932

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 6 1933

ACCOUNTANTS
DEC 12 1933

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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1. Records
2. Schools

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JUN 5 1933
RECORDS

E X T R A C T from Inspector Johnson's Report regarding his visit to the GIBSON INDIAN DAY SCHOOL on May 26th, 1933.

Original on File 22-1-6.

The boys' closet is getting marked up and dirty. I would suggest that several loads of gravel be hauled to fill in the open ditch by the water closets. This open ditch is most unsanitary.

The platform in front of school needs repairing. The front gate is missing. This allows the cows to get in, making the playground more or less unfit for play.

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22-1-5.

EX'D.

Ottawa, June 8, 1933.

Sir:

The Public School Inspector, in a report on his recent inspection of the Gibson Indian Day School, states that the platform in front of the school needs repairing, also that the front gate is missing, which allows the cows to get in, making the playground unfit for play. He also recommends that several loads of gravel be hauled, to fill in the open ditch by the water closets. He states this ditch is unsanitary.

I would request that you arrange to have any repairs required carried out to the platform in front of the school, and, if necessary, a new gate supplied and installed. Regarding the gravel, it is considered the Indians, themselves, should be able to haul a few loads of gravel to fill in the open ditch referred to by the Inspector without cost to the Department.

Any expenditure incurred should be kept to the lowest possible point, and should be covered by accounts, in triplicate, which should be certified by you and forwarded for payment.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. Mackenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 14 1933
RECORDS

T- 5194

R

Parry Sound, Ont.

June 12, 1933.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir;

Yours of June 8th, 22-1-5 received re report of the Public School Inspector at the Gibson Indian Day School. In reply I have to state that I knew the platform required to be fixed up, but was letting it go as long as possible in my endeavour to keep down costs.

I do not agree with the Inspector that the ditch at the toilets should be covered up, as I find it is necessary to drain that section of the School grounds, but I have to state that the aprons around the toilets have been heaved by the frost, and should be fixed up, and some of the boards are broken off the aprons. If the Department will grant a requisition for this, I can have it done at very little cost.

The next time I am in the Gibson Reserve, I will endeavour to have a bee, and have a couple of loads of gravel hauled to scatter around the toilets, but not to fill in the ditch. When I am talking to the Band about having a bee to have the gravel hauled for this purpose, I will explain to them that they are not paying anything out of the Band funds for their education and in that way perhaps some of the members of the Band will volunteer to haul the gravel.

Re the little gate; I do not think the cows are doing any harm in the school yard, it is only a small gateway. The large gate on the main road is kept closed, but if the Department thinks that a gate should be put on, I would suggest that when they grant the requisition for the fixing of the aprons of the toilets, I could have a handy man make a

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little gate out of rough lumber to serve the purpose. This would not cost very much,as near as I can guess the cost of the lumber and a day's wages, or at the most two days' wages would cover the cost of this.

The opinion of the Department in this matter will be very much appreciated.

Should the officials of the Department see fit, they can ask Inspector McGookin and he will tell them that the building and the grounds are in pretty good shape, and I know that the Public School Inspector visits schools not half as good as the school in the Gibson Reserve. It was painted last year and is in pretty good shape for such an old building.

I would be much obliged if the Department will grant a requisition to get the work done as suggested by me.

The consideration of the Department at their earliest will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, June 15, 1933.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 12th instant, regarding the repairs, etc., required at the Gibson Indian Day School.

In reply I have to say that you may arrange to have the repairs required to the platform in front of the school carried out. You may also arrange to have a handyman make a gate of lumber that would serve the purpose at the small gateway. You may also arrange to have the aprons around the toilets that have been heaved by the frost fixed up and any boards that are broken off replaced. All expenditure in connection with the above work should be kept as low as possible and, when same has been completed, you should forward accounts, in triplicate, properly certified, covering the cost. Funds for the purpose are covered by a blanket encumbrance obtained here.

It is noted that you will have the Indians haul a few loads of gravel to be placed around the toilets, and that you consider you can have this done without cost to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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SEP 20 1933
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T- 5287

Parry Sound,Ont.

Sept.20,1933.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ont.

Sir;

Enclosed please find sequisition sheet from Mr.Ward School Teacher, at Gibson Indian Day School.

Would the Department please note that there is an order for a stove. I had a look at the stove in the school the last time I was in the Reserve,and I have been putting off doing anything about this, as I thought perhaps we could get it patched up. The door was broken , but I have a letter from Mr. Ward stating that it is cracked across the top now, so it will be impossible to do anything to this stove, as it smokes too much. A suitable stove can be procured here in Parry Sound for $20.00. (Freight would have to be added to this.)

I would appreciate it very much if the Department would give me authority to purchase a new stove.

Ordered on 27/1/4

Re the Picture of the King for the school, I think Mr. Ward is under the impression that a picture of the King would help to make them more loyal subjects in Gibson Reserve. There is a lot of petty squabbling among the younger members of the Reserve,and I think Mr.Ward is under the impression that a picture of the King might help the children to know who the King is

The consideration of the Department will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M.Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.
Encl.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, September 26, 1933.

Sir:

With reference to your T-5287 of the 20th instant, I beg to say that you may purchase a stove for the Gibson Indian Day School. It is noted you can secure this for $20, plus freight to Gibson.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. W. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs, Gibson School

To A.H.Fenn, Parry Sound, Ont.,

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No 22-1-8 dated Sept. 28, 1933.	
Nov. 1.1933.	Stove supplied to Gibson Indian Day School.	20. 50

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT
NOV 6 1933
ACCOUNTS BRANCH
DEPT. INDIAN AFFAIRS

Vote..... 188
School Number..... 393
Allot..... 309
E. R. No..... 474

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant
100

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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Agent

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Letter No.....

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Office of the Parry Sound, Ont., Indian Agency,

November 1. 1933. 19.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to $ 20. 50 in favour

of A.N.Fenn, Merchant, Parry Sound, Ont.,

for Stove supplied to Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 dated Sept. 28, 1933.

Representative of the Treasury NOV 6 1933 INDIAN AFFAIRS

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT NOV 6 1933 ACCOUNTS BRANCH DEPT. INDIAN AFFAIRS

The Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

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NOV 20 1933
RECORDS

T. 5385

Parry Sound, Ont.

Nov. 18, 1933.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.,

Sir;

I have to report that as the teachers are arranging for the Christmas Trees in the schools before closing for the Christmas Holidays, I would appreciate it very much if the Department would let me know if there will be an appropriation for the Christmas Trees and how much it will be for the various schools.

The consideration of the Department will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
NOV 22 1933

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, November 23rd, 1933.

Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 18th instant, requesting a grant to purchase a treat for the pupils of the various schools in your Agency at Christmas, I beg to say that, as our funds this year have been reduced, it is only possible to provide the following amounts:

Ryerson	$6.00
Shawanaga	6.00
Gibson.....	6.00
Lower French	3.00
Maganetawan	3.00
Moose Deer Point....	3.00.

Itemized accounts, in triplicate, covering the cost of the supplies should be obtained for each school separately. These accounts should be attached to proper voucher forms, certified in the usual manner and forwarded for payment.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound,
Ont.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J. W. Burgess, Bala, Ont.,

DATE			AMOUNT	

Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Nov. 23, 1933.

Supplies for Christmas Tree Entertainment, Gibson Indian Day School, 1. 85.

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT
JAN 4 1934
ACCOUNTS BRANCH
DEPT. INDIAN AFFAIRS

Vote..... 188

School Number..... 393

Allot..... 287

E. R. No..... 1129

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant [illegible]

1110

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John McDonald
Agent

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 28 1933

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont., *Indian Agency,*

December 26, 1933. *19*.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $ 1. 85 *in favour*

of J.M.Burgess, Bala, Ontario

for Supplies for Christmas Tree entertainment Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* November 23, 1933.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND Gibson School.

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To J.C.McBride, Bala,Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
Dec. 26,1933.	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-5 dated Nov.23,1933.		
	Supplies for Christmas Tree Entertainment, Gibson Indian Day School.	4.	15

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT
JAN 4 1934
ACCOUNTS BRANCH
DEPT. INDIAN AFFAIRS

Vote..... 158
School Number..... 393
Allot..... 387
E. R. No..... 1139

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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Agent

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CANADA

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont., Indian Agency,

Dec. 26, 1933. 19.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to $ 4. 13. in favour

of J.C.McBride, Merchant, Bala, Ontario,

for Supplies for Christmas Tree Entertainment, Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 dated November 23, 1933.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daley

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS DEC 28 1933 RECORDS

SCHOOLS BRANCH DEC 29 1933

Representative of the Treasury DEC 30 1933 INDIAN AFFAIRS

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

Parry Sound, Ont.,

Feb.8.1934.

T- 5469

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.,

Sir;

While on a recent visit to the Gibson Reserve, I was informed that the school roof was leaking, and since then I have had a letter from Rev. J.A.Ward, School teacher, that it is getting worse.

I was endeavouring to put this off until spring so that we could examine the roof thoroughly but it appears that something will have to be done to fix up the roof now. It is very hard to make an estimate of the exact cost, but I presume they will require two bundles of shingles, and it would take at least two men one day to fix it.

I would recommend that this be attended to right away and would respectfully request the serious consideration of the Department, at their earliest.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.

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T-5469

Ottawa, February 12, 1934.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 8th instant, reporting on the repairs required to the roof of the Gibson Indian Day School building.

In reply I have to say that you may arrange for the purchase of the quantity of shingles required - approximately two bundles - and for the labour in carrying out the repairs necessary at the present time to prevent leakage. No unnecessary expense should be incurred. After the work has been completed, please forward an account, in triplicate, properly certified, covering the expenditure incurred in the purchase of materials and for the labour employed.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To A. N.Fenn,ParrySound,Ont..

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-4 dated Feb.13 ,1934.	
Mar. 1.1934.	Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School.	6. 95

Vote.....188.....
School Number.....393.....
Allot.....209.....
E. R. No.....1128.....

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.

5-3-34

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

.....
Agent

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAR 5 1934

CANADA

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 3 1934
RECEIVED

Letter No.....

E.A.C.

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont., *Indian Agency,*

March 1, 1934. *19*.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $ 6. 95 *in favour*

of A. N. Fenn, Merchant, Parry Sound, Ont.,

for Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-4 *dated* Feb. 13, 1934.

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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6 1934

22-1-5;

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JUN 2 1934
RECORDS

EXTRACT FROM REPORT OF GEO. S. JOHNSON,
PUBLIC SCHOOL INSPECTOR, on his inspection of
the GIBSON Indian Day School, visited May 18th, 1934

Orig. on 22-1-6.

xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

The boys' water closet has been in a very bad state of repair since before my last inspection. It is not fit to be used.

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22-1-5.

Ottawa, June 7, 1934.

Sir:

In a report dated the 18th ultimo, regarding the Gibson Indian Day School, Inspector Geo. S. Johnson writes as follows:-

> "The boys' water closet has been in a very bad state of repair since before my last inspection. It is not fit to be used."

Please let me have a report regarding this building, stating what expenditure would be involved in having it placed in proper condition.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 11 193

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

T- 5601

Parry Sound,Ont.,
June 9th,1934.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 12 1934

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa,Ontario.

Sir;

Replying to yours of June 7th, 22-1-5 I was at Gibson Reserve the other day and was very much surprised to see the screen of one of the boy's toilets leaning up against the fence. I had a lot of running around in the reserve and when I was coming away I did not see the man, James News, who I get to do these repairs.

The toilets require tobe fixed up and I think this could be done for $10.00 or $15.00. Most of the men are working on the road,and I refrained from asking them to do any work around the school,as they were making money outside of the reserve,and keeping down the costs of relief. I expect this work will be finished in the near future when I shall be able to get lots of men to do the work.

I understand from what Mr.Ward tells me that he will be leaving at the end of this term, and a new man will be coming in. Should the Department wish me to go ahead with these repairs, I would like to have everything in good shape when the new man comes in.

A reply at your earliest convenience will be very much appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly
Agent.

JMD/EK.

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22-1-5

Ottawa, June 12th, 1934.

Sir,-

In reply to your T-5601 of the 9th instant, I may say that the Department approves of an expenditure of $15.00 in connection with repairs to the closets at the Gibson Indian Day School.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Secretary.

John M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Vote No. .....

Treaty No. .....

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To Waisemiller Bros.

Bala,

Ont.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
		Authority, Dept.Letter,22-1-5 June 15/33.		
		Lumber required for repairs to Gibson Indian Day School.	4.	50
		Vote.....176... School Number.....393... Allot.....243... E. R. No.....2373... TRIPLICATE FOR FILE 30-1-34 Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.		
		TOTAL,		

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly
Agent

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUL 28 1934

22-1-5

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 27 1934
RECORDS

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont., Indian Agency,

July 25, 1934, 19.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....,

amounting to $.....4..50..... in favour

of Weismiller Bros., Bala, Ontario,

Lumber required for repairs to

for Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 dated June 15, 1934,

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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No. 125

Duplicate for Department.

$ 8.00

The Bank of Nova Scotia

PARRY SOUND, ONT. Apr 4 1934

Received from J. M. Harley, agent

on account of Indian Affairs

the sum of — Eight 00/100 Dollars

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd 123 S. S. Banke

Pro. Manager.

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EK Ld.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

SCHOOLS BRANCH
FEB 6 1934

INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 6 1934
RECORDS

T- 5787

Parry Sound, Ont.,

August 31, 1934,

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ontario,

Sir;

Enclosed please find Order on the Receiver General, No. 125, for $8. 00 received by Chief Isaiah Sahanatien for the rent of the Schoolhouse at Gibson Reserve, on June 19th, 1934, for the Provincial election.

Trusting this will be satisfactory.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Agent.

JMD/EK.
Enclosure.

Representative of the Treasury,
SEP 7 1934
DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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Vote No.....

Treaty No.....

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To Isaac Hews,
C/o Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.,
.....

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
	Authority, 22-1-5 ,June 15/32. Feb. 12/34. and June 12,1934.	
	Repairs to the Gibson Indian Day School:- repairing toilets, making small gate, repairing roof, hauling gravel and placing same around toilets.	12. 20

Vote..... 176

School Number..... 393

Allot..... 243

E. R. No..... 2373

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher [illegible] attached

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TOTAL,

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

18-9-34

John M Wadsley
Agent.

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22-1-5

MAIL.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 19 1934
RECORDS

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound, Ont. *Indian Agency,*

September 17, 1934, *19*.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $.....12. 20.....*in favour*

of Isaac News, C% Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.,

Repairs to Gibson Indian Day School;

for .....

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* June 15/33, Feb. 12/34. and June 12, 1934,

Your obedient servant,

John M. Daly

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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GIBSON DAY SCHOOL

BUILDINGS, ACCTS. &C.

FROM 5-10-23

TO 17-9-34

CENTRAL REGISTRY	REFERRED TO	DATE REC'D	INITIALS	CENTRAL REGISTRY	REFERRED TO	DATE REC'D	INITIALS

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File 393-1, part 3	Parry Sound Agency - Gibson School - Teachers - General Administration. 1938 - 1949
File 393-3, part 1	Parry Sound Agency - Gibson School - Teachers' Salaries. 1923 - 1934, 1943 - 1946
File 393-5, part 1	Parry Sound Agency - Gibson School - Building Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts. 1898 - 1923
File 393-5, part 2	Parry Sound Agency - Gibson School - Building Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts. 1923 - 1934
File 393-5, part 3	Parry Sound Agency - Gibson School - Building Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts. 1934 - 1948
File 393-8, part 1	Parry Sound Agency - Gibson School - Teachers' Residence - Establishment - Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts - (Map). 1895 - 1902, 1922 - 1929, 1938

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Department of Indian Affairs

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GIBSON DAY SCHOOL

BUILDINGS, ACCTS., S.C.

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Estimate for repairs to Gibson Indian Day School.

Material

700 sq. ft. # 2 Birch flooring @ 12½¢ per ft.	93.75
2 Rolls Tarred sheathing @ 2.75	5.50
100 lin ft. 1 x 6 Pine D 45 @.03¢	3.00
125 lin ft. ½ Rd. @ .01¢	1.25
1 -- 1 3/8" Door 3' x 6'6"	8.50
1000 sq. ft. Shingles @ 5.20 per sq.	52.00
10 Bags cement	7.25
Nails etc.	5.00
5 Gals Paint @ 4.50	22.50
Freight and cartage	15.00
	213.75
Labour	108.00
	$321.75

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INDIAN AGENT

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DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
July 11, 1941.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUL 14 1941
REGISTERED

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing estimate of the cost of repairs to the Gibson Indian Day School. This school is gradually becoming a ruin and I think that the repairs which I have indicated are very necessary this year. If the year's estimates are not sufficient to take care of this work I would be glad to know just what sum might be made available and we could perhaps do a portion of the work this year and complete the job next year. I might say that I do not anticipate anything other than minor repair bills for any of the other schools in the Agency this year.

P.O. and let me know how much $ available

$200 available

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Encl.

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22-1-5

Ottawa, July 16, 1941.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of the 11th instant, with reference to repairs required at the Gibson Indian Day School.

In the current year's appropriation an amount of $300 was provided for repairs and improvements for the schools in your agency. We have already authorized an expenditure of $20 at Henvey Inlet and $81 at Ryerson. This leaves a balance of approximately $200 still available.

I note from your letter that some of the work could be done this year and the balance completed next year. I would therefore appreciate hearing further from you regarding what can be done with the amount that can be spent, namely $200. When forwarding a list of the material, you should state the name of the firm from whom you are obtaining prices, because, if the materials cost over fifty dollars, it will be necessary to purchase them through out Purchasing Branch.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mr. Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Estimate of Repairs, Gibson Indian Day School.

Material:

700 sq. ft. # 2 Birch flooring @ 12½¢	93.75
2 Rolls Tarred Sheathing @ 2.75	5.50
100 lin ft. 1 x 6 Pine D 4S @ 3¢	3.00
125 " " ¼ Rd. @ 1¢	1.25
1 - 1 3/8"Door 3' x 6'-6".	8.50
1 Door Lock	1.00
10 Bags Cement	7.25
Nails, etc.	3.00
Freight & Cartage	15.00
	$ 138.25
Labour:	60.00
	$ 198.25

10%
3.00
15.00
19.00

138.25
19.00
119.25

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DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

22-1-5

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUL 25 1941
REGISTERED

Parry Sound, Ont.,
July 22, 1941.

Dear Sir:

Reference: Letter, July 16, 22-1-5.

In reply to above letter I beg to enclose revised estimate of repairs for the Gibson School, making the amount approximately $200.00 to be expended this year. I will put off shingling and painting of this building until next year and will include in my estimates an amount to cover this.

What I propose to do this year is lay a new floor and repair the foundation, both of these items being the most pressing. Prices of materials have been obtained from the Johnson Lumber Company of this town.

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

REQUISITION FOR SUPPLIES

22-1-5

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Requisition No.....

Order No.....

Ottawa, July 25, 19 41.

To The Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa,

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF

Gibson Indian Day School

VOTE 76 Allotment 10 - 691

SHIP TO Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Purpose for which required

NOTE:—Requisition for non-consumable equipment, state if New Issue or Replacement.
" consumable equipment and supplies use columns 1 and 2.

Quantity		Quantity on hand (1)	Quantity used per month (2)	Unit Price		TOTAL
700	sq. ft. #2 Birch Flooring @				12½	93.75
2	Rolls Tarred Sheathing @			2.	75	5.50
100	lin. ft. 1 x 6 Pine D 4 S @			.	03	3.00
125	" " ½ Rd. @			.	01	1.25
1	1 3/8" Door 3' x 6' - 6"					8.50
10	Bags Cement					7.25
						119.25

NOTE: - Without being requested to do so, the Indian Agent secured the above mentioned prices from the Johnson Lumber Company, Parry Sound, Ont.

I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED—

APPROVED—

Directo

Form 37—Req. 198

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. NO.....

FILE NO. 55-1-3

TREAS. NO.....

DEPARTMENT MINES and RESOURCES

BRANCH INDIAN AFFAIRS DATE July 26, 1941.

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:—

CHEQUE No.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT
	Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account	$60.00
	Send cheque to: Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.	

STATE BELOW, WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (*a*) STANDING ADVANCE, (*b*) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY—ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (*c*) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (*d*) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Labour for repairs - Gibson Indian Day School (#393)

CHARGE TO { VOTE 76 ENC. No..... ; ALLOTMENT ..... ; SUB-ALLOTMENT 10 - 691

I CERTIFY THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

HEAD OF BRANCH

DEPUTY HEAD

TREASURY OFFICE APPROVAL

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22-1-5

Ottawa, July 26, 1941.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 22nd instant, you may purchase for use at the Gibson Indian Day School a lock at a cost of $1.00 and nails at a cost of approximately $3.00. You may also incur an expenditure for freight and cartage, if necessary, to an amount not exceeding $15.00.

The Purchasing Agent is being requested to arrange for purchase of the other materials.

It is noted that $60.00 will be required for labour and I presume that you intend to use Indians. Arrangements will be made to forward you an accountable cheque for that amount.

Yours truly,

over

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare and Training.

Mr. Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

REQUISITION FOR SUPPLIES

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Requisition No. 39853

Order No.

Ottawa, July 25, 1941

To The Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa,

Department of Mines & Resources
OTTAWA.
JUL 28 1941
PURCHASING OFFICE.

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF Gibson Indian Day School

VOTE 76 Allotment 10 - 691

SHIP TO Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Purpose for which required

NOTE:—Requisition for non-consumable equipment, state if New Issue or Replacement.
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125	" " ½ Rd. @			.01	1.25
1	1 3/8" Door 3' x 6' - 6"				8.50
10	Bags Cement				7.25
					119.25

NOTE: - Without being requested to do so, the Indian Agent secured the above mentioned prices from the Johnson Lumber Company, Parry Sound, Ont.

WELFARE DIVISION
IN THE PRESENCE OF
AUG 2 1941
WELFARE DIVISION
IN THE PRESENCE OF
AUG 2 1941

I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED—

APPROVED— *W. J. Bury* Director

Form 37—Req. 193

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

Order No 8484

mw/cmcD

RECEIPT FORM

This order number to appear on all packages and invoices

File No. 30153-15-3 pt.

Johnson Lumber Company, Ottawa, July 29, 1941. 19

Parry Sound, Ont.

Supplies mentioned hereunder have been received and found satisfactory with exception of those listed under "Remarks".

S Samuel Devlin, Esq.,

Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.,

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL
	For repairing Gibson Indian Day School -		
700 sq.ft.	#2 Birch Flooring	.12½	$ 87.50
2 rolls	Tarred Sheathing	2.75	5.50
100 lin.ft.	1x6 Pine D&S	.05	5.00
135 " "	Quarter Round	.01	1.35
1 only	1 3/8" Door 3' x 6' 6"		3.50
10 bags	Portland Cement		7.25
			$110.00

WELDING DIVISION
IN THE PRESENCE OF
AUG 2 1941

Prices F.O.B. as per your quotation of to Indian Agent.

Shipping Instructions As per instructions of:- Samuel Devlin, Esq., Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Vote 76 Primary 10 - 091

Encumbrance No. 646

Date to be delivered: Immediately.

Freight or Express charges paid

Remarks: (Report shortages, if any)

Branch Date

TO BE RETURNED TO HEAD OF BRANCH

Signature of Receiving Offic

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LUMBER, TEN-TEST, SHINGLES, PLYWOODS
ROOFING, GYPROC, LIME, CEMENT, PLASTER
BRICK, MASONITE, INSULATING WOOL, HEATILATORS, ETC.
FACTORY TELEPH[illegible] 208

DOORS, SASH, FLOORING, SIDING, FRAMES
CEDAR TIMBERS AND PLANK, MOULDINGS
FIR AND CEDAR, V JOINTS, BOAT LUMBER, ETC.
RESIDENCE TELEPHONE 207

PARRY SOUND, Aug. 27th 1941
CANADA

M Dept. of Mines & Resources

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Indian Affairs Branch, Parry Sound

IN ACCOUNT WITH

JOHNSON LUMBER COMPANY

DEALERS IN
LUMBER AND BUILDERS' SUPPLIES

Order # 6484

INVOICE # 6702

TERMS---ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED — CHECK INVOICE CAREFULLY — KEEP THIS INVOICE. WE DO NOT ITEMIZE AGAIN.

	700	Sq.ft. 13/16 x 2 Second Birch Flooring			12½	87	50
	2	Rolls 10# Felt Paper		2	75	5	50
	100	Lineal Feet 1x6 #3 Pine D-4-S			03	3	00
	125	Lineal Feet Cedar Quarter Round			01	1	25
	1	Only 6/6 x3/0 x 1¾ Cedar Door				8	50
	10	Bags Cement		2.90	Bbl	7	25
		For Repairing Gibson Day School				113	00

E. & O. E.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PAY TO Johnson Lumber Company.

ADDRESS Parry Sound, Ontario.

THIS SPACE FOR TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE NO.....

DATE .....

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	
TOTAL			

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE .....

1941 DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Aug	27	lumber for repairing Gibson Indian Day School.		
		Authority, 22-1-5, July 26, 1941.	113	00
		TRIPLICATE FOR FILE		
		D.I.A. Voucher in duplicate detached		
		for Accountant to pay.		
		TOTAL	113	00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Durlin
Agent

FORM No. I.A. 506
R. 534

VOUCHER No. 175

DATE August 29, 1941.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.....

Office of the.....Parry Sound.....Indian Agency,

.....August 29,.....19 41

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos.....175.....,

amounting to $113.00 *in favour*

of Johnson Lumber Company, Parry Sound, Ont.

for lumber for repairing Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No.....22-1-5.....dated.....July 26, 1941.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Devlin

Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

Form No. I.A. 518

DEPARTMENT OF MINES & RESOURCES
Indian Affairs Branch
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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

REQUISITION FOR SUPPLIES

This space for use of Head Office only

Requisition No.....

Order No.....

September 6, 1941

To The Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa,

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF Gibson Indian Day School

VOTE..... Allotment.....

SHIP TO Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Purpose for which required For Gibson Indian Day School.

NOTE:—Requisition for non-consumable equipment, state if New Issue or Replacement.
" consumable equipment and supplies use columns 1 and 2.

Quantity		Quantity on hand (1)	Quantity used per month (2)	Unit Price		TOTAL
2	Brooms					
6	Window glass 10 x 12					
2 lbs	Putty					

Department of Mines & Resources Indian Affairs Branch SEP 8 1941 Received

I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED— Samuel Devlin

APPROVED—

Dire

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22-1-5

Ottawa,
September 10, 1941.

Dear Sir:

With reference to requisition of the 6th instant you may purchase the following articles for use at the Gibson Day School:

2 Brooms
6 Window glass 10 x 12
2 Lbs. putty

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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M Indian Agency

Parry Sound

IN ACCOUNT WITH

McKINLEY HARDWARE CO.

GENERAL HARDWARE, STOVES AND TINWARE

'941

July	27	20 30# 2" Finish Nails @7	2 10	
		1 Rack Set	95	
				3 05

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PAY TO McKinley Hardware Co.,

ADDRESS Parry Sound, Ontario.

THIS SPACE FOR TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE NO. .....

DATE .....

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	
TOTAL			

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE .....

DATE 1941		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
July	27	materials for repairs to Gibson Indian Day		
		School. Authority, 22-1-5, July 26, 1941.	3	05
		TOTAL	3	05

DUPLICATE FOR FILE
11.9.41
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to date

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Dustin

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R. 534

VOUCHER NO. 181

DATE September 8, 1941.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound Indian Agency,

September 8, 1941

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 181,

amounting to $ 3.05 in favour

of McKinley Hardware Co., Parry Sound, Ont.

for material for repairs to Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 dated July 26, 1941.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Devlin

Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

Form No. I.A. 518

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Parry Sound, Ont.,
August 29, 1941.

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Parry Sound, Ont.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Allan Rowe,
Parry Sound, Ont.

Cartage of materials to Gibson Indian
Day School. $15.00

Milaage 50 miles
Weight 3500 lbs.
Flat rate

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PAY TO Allan Rowe. EXD.

ADDRESS Parry Sound, Ont.

THIS SPACE FOR TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE NO. .....

DATE .....

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	
TOTAL			

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE .....

DATE 1941		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Aug.	29	cartage of materials to Gibson Indian Da. School		
		Authority, 22-1-5, July 26, 1941.	15	00
		Mileage 50 miles		
		Weight 3500 lbs.		
		Flat Rate		
		DUPLICATE FOR FILE 12-8-41 Number in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.		
		TOTAL	15	00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Devlin
Agent

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R. 534

VOUCHER NO. 176

DATE August 29, 1941.

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INDIAN AGENT

CANADA
DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

22-1-5

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
September 23, 1941

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
SEP 24
REGISTERED

Dear Sir:

Please have a cheque issued to me in the amount of $8.40 to pay wages for repairs to the Gibson Day School. I had estimated $60.00 for this purpose and have already received a cheque for that amount. Actual wages, however, have exceeded my estimate by $8.40.

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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C.T. 17A
100M—10-40

REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. NO.

FILE NO. 22-1-5

TREAS. NO.

DEPARTMENT MINES and RESOURCES

BRANCH INDIAN AFFAIRS DATE September 25, 1941.

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:—

CHEQUE No.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT
	Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account ----------	$8. 40
	Send cheque to: Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.	

STATE BELOW, WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (*a*) STANDING ADVANCE, (*b*) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY—ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (*c*) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (*d*) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Additional amount for labour - repairs to

Gibson Indian Day School (#393)

CHARGE TO
VOTE 76 ENC. No.
ALLOTMENT
SUB-ALLOTMENT 10 - 691

I CERTIFY THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

HEAD OF BRANCH

TREASURY OFFICE APPROVAL

DEPUTY HEAD

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Form No. I.A. 702
Requ. No. 289

RETURN OF LABOUR on the Repairs to Gibson Day School on Gibson Reserve

for week ending September 20, 1941

NAMES	Nature of Employment or Trade Number of Horses	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	TOTAL	PRICE PER.....	AMOUNT OF WAGES		RECEIVED PAYMENT	WITNESS
Isaac News	Foreman	8	8	8	8	8		40	50	20	00	Isaac News	
Isiah Sahanatien	Labourer	8	8	8	8	8		40	40	16	00	Isiah Sahanatien	
										36	00		

I hereby certify that the services have been performed, materials supplied, and prices are fair and just.

Agency.....

E.R. .....

.....
AGENT

Cheque No. .....

Balance .....

.....
FOREMAN

Vote.....

Allotment.....

Payment Approved .....

.....

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Form No. I.A. 702
Regn. No. 200

RETURN OF LABOUR on the Repairs to Gibson Day School on Gibson Reserve

for week ending September 13, 1941.

NAMES	Nature of Employment or Trade Number of Horses	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	TOTAL	PRICE PER.....	AMOUNT OF WAGES	RECEIVED PAYMENT	WITNESS
Isaac News,	Foreman	8	4	8	8	8	8	36	50	18 00	Isaac News	
Isaiah Sehanatien	Labourer	8	4	8	8	8	8	36	40	14 40	Isaiah Sehanatien	
										32 40		

I hereby certify that the services have been performed, materials supplied, and prices are fair and just.

Samuel Burton
AGENT

Agency.....

E.R. .....

.....
FOREMAN

Cheque No. .....

Balance .....

Vote.....

Allotment.....

Payment Approved .....

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PAY TO Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account,

ADDRESS c/o Samuel Devlin,

Indian Agent,

Parry Sound, Ont.

THIS SPACE FOR TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE NO. .....

DATE .....

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	
TOTAL			

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE .....

1941 DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Oct.	9	wages for repairs to Gibson Indian Day School		
		as per attached labour returns.		
		Authority, 22-1-5, July 26, 1941.	68	40
		TOTAL	68	40

DUPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate attached
for Accountant's use

16.10.41

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Devlin
Agent

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R. 534

VOUCHER NO. 217

DATE October 11, 1941.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No......

EX'D.

Office of the Parry Sound *Indian Agency,*

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
OCT 15 1941
REGISTERED

October 11, *19* 41

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 217 ,

amounting to $68.40 *in favour*

Credit Voucher *of* Parry Sound Indian Agency TrustAccount, c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent.

for wages forrepairs to Gibson Indian Day School, as per attached labour returns.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* July 26, 1941.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Devlin

Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

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McNEIL & NORRIS

MARINE GARAGE
HARDWARE
BOAT & CAR LIVERY

Bala, Ont., Sept. 19 42 19

M Gibson Indian School

TERMS—CASH By Mr. Devlin

6 lbs glass 10X12 D 14"		84
2 lbs Putty		20
2 Brooms	1	88
Qty	2	92

25

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

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CHEQUE NO. .....

DATE .....

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	
TOTAL			

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE .....

PAY TO McNeil & Norris,

ADDRESS Bala, Ontario.

DATE 1941		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Sept.	19	Goods supplied for Gibson Indian Day School.		
		Authority, 22-1-5, Sept. 10, 1941.	2	92
		Full		
		14-2-42		
		TOTAL	2	92

DUPLICATE FOR FILE
... in duplicate attached,
for Accountant to pay.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Devlin
Agent

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VOUCHER No. 354

DATE February 11, 1942.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

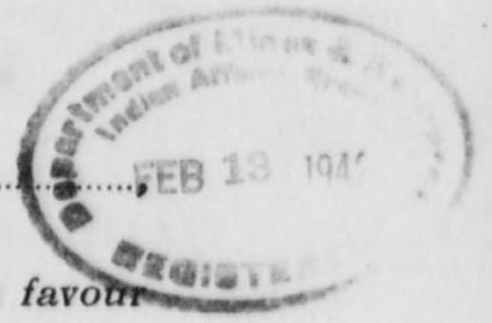
Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound *Indian Agency,*

February 11, 1942

EXD.

Sir,



I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 354, *amounting to $* 2.92 *in favour of* McNeil & Norris, Bala, Ontario. *for* goods supplied for Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* Sept. 10, 1941.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Devlin

Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

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ACCOUNT No.

LETTER	FOLIO

Bala, Feb. 28, 1942.

M. P. Sam Devlin, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

In Account With

J. W. BURGESS LIMITED

GENERAL MERCHANT
BALA . ONTARIO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

TO ACCOUNT RENDERED

XXXXXX Supplies to Gibson Reserve School

1 Key Damper Pipe	.55

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PAY TO J. W. Burgess,

ADDRESS Bala, Ontario.

THIS SPACE FOR TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE NO. .....

DATE .....

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	
TOTAL			

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE .....

1942 DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Feb.	28	Supplies to Gibson Indian Day School.		55

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached
10.5.42.
for Accountant to pay.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Devlin
Agent

FORM No. I.A. 506

VOUCHER No. 390

DATE March 6, 1942.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound Indian Agency,

March 6, 1942

Sir,

EXD.

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 390

amounting to $ 5.55 in favour

of J. W. Burgess, Bala, Ontario.

for supplies for Gibson Indian Day School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No..... dated.....

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
MAR 9 1942
REGISTERED

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Devlin
Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

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Repairs to Gibson Day School

11 Squares # 1 - 5X Shingles @ $6.50	71.50
35# Galv. Shingle nails @ .12¢	4.20
40 ft. Ridge roll @ .09¢	3.60
Labour	45.00
Freight and Cartage	10.00
	134.30

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OFFICE OF THE
INDIAN AGENT

Jackpools

22-1-5

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DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
July 25, 1942.

DOMINION EXPERIMENTAL FARMS STATION
JUL 27 1942
REGISTERED

Dear Sir:

I enclose herewith estimate of cost of re-shingling the Gibson Indian Day School. The roof on this school is in very bad condition and leaks in a number of places. It had been proposed to have it re-shingled last year when other repairs were being done, but sufficient funds were not available. Prices on materials have been obtained locally from the Johnson Lumber Company and Indian labour will be used.

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

REQUISITION FOR SUPPLIES

File No. 22-1-5

July 28 19 42

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Requisition No. .....

Order No. .....

To The Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa,

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF Gibson Indian Day School

VOTE 76 Allotment 10-691

SHIP TO Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Purpose for which required Repairs

NOTE:—Requisition for non-consumable equipment, state if New Issue or Replacement.
" consumable equipment and supplies use columns 1 and 2.

Quantity		Quantity on hand (1)	Quantity used per month (2)	Unit Price		TOTAL
11	Squares #1 - 5X shingles			6	50	$ 71.50
35	Lbs. galv. shingle nails				12	4.20
40	Ft. ridge roll				09	3.60
						$ 79.30
	Note: Without being requested to do so the Indian Agent secured the above prices from the Johnson Lumber Company, Parry Sound.					

I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED—

APPROVED—

Director

Form 37

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

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22-1-5

Ottawa,
July 28, 1942.

E.T.D.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 25th instant, I am requesting the Purchasing Branch to secure the material required to reshingle the roof on the Gibson Indian Day School. It is noted that the cost of labour will be $45.00 and that there will be an expenditure of $10.00 for freight and cartage. I also note that you intend to employ Indians to do the work.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

REQUISITION FOR SUPPLIES

File No. 22-1-5

July 28 19 42

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Requisition No. 44423

Order No.

To The Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa,

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF Gibson Indian Day School

VOTE 76 Allotment 10-691

SHIP TO Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Department of Mines & Resources
OTTAWA.
JUL 29 1942
PURCHASING OFFICE

Purpose for which required Repairs

NOTE:—Requisition for non-consumable equipment, state if New Issue or Replacement.
" consumable equipment and supplies use columns 1 and 2.

Quantity		Quantity on hand (1)	Quantity used per month (2)	Unit Price		TOTAL
11	Squares #1 - 5X shingles			6	50	$ 71.50
35	Lbs. galv. shingle nails				12	4.20
40	Ft. ridge roll				09	3.60
						$ 79.30
	Note: Without being requested to do so the Indian Agent secured the above prices from the Johnson Lumber Company, Parry Sound.					

I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED— S. A. Devlin

APPROVED— Harold Jones Director

Form 57 (SEE OTHER SIDE)

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

Order No 13973

RECEIPT FORM

This order number to appear on all packages and invoices

File No. 44423-10-3 Cent.

Johnson Lumber Company, Ottawa, July 31, 1942. 19

Parry Sound, Ont.

Supplies mentioned hereunder have been received and found satisfactory with exception of those listed under "Remarks".

S Mr. S. Devlin,

Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.,

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL
	For repairs to Gibson Indian Day School		
11 squares	#1 - 5X shingles	$6.50	$71.50
35 lbs.	Galv. shingle nails	.12	4.20
40 ft.	Ridge roll	.09	3.60
			$79.30

Blue slip sent to Agent Aug 6/42

Prices F.O.B. delivered as per your quotation of to Indian Agent

Shipping Instructions as per Instructions of Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Vote 79 Primary 10-002 Date to be delivered:

Encumbrance No. 580. as per Instructions of Indian Agent.

Freight or Express charges paid

Remarks: (Report shortages, if any)

Branch Date

TO BE RETURNED TO HEAD OF BRANCH

Signature of Receiving Officer

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. NO.....

FILE NO. 22-1-5

TREAS. NO.....

DEPARTMENT MINES & RESOURCES

BRANCH INDIAN AFFAIRS DATE August 6, 1942.

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:—

CHEQUE No.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT	
	Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account Send cheque to: Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.	$55	00

STATE BELOW, WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (*a*) STANDING ADVANCE, (*b*) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY—ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (*c*) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (*d*) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Labour for repairing the Gibson Indian Day School

CHARGE TO { VOTE 76 ENC. No.....
ALLOTMENT 10-691
SUB-ALLOTMENT.....

I CERTIFY THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

HEAD OF BRANCH

TREASURY OFFICE APPROVAL

DEPUTY HEAD

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INSERT "ORDER" OR "C.O.D." HERE.

STATION RECORD of FREIGHT BILL

Form 2768

SHEET NO. 4

Consignee & Destination

STATION TO BALA

PRO.

DE T OF MINES & RESOURCES BALA DATE

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

From, Number, Station | W/B Date | W/B No. | Shipper's Name | Car Init. & Number

4264
ARRYSOUND AUG 6TH42 WB 2660 C 229519 JOHNSON LBR CO

No. of Packages — Description of Articles and Marks	Weight	Rate	Freight	Advances	Prepaid	Collect
44 BDLS SHINGLES 1 CAR TN NAILS 1 BDL METAL RIDGE	1800	24	4 32		4 32	
TOTAL						

All freight transported by this Company is subject to its published terms and regulations. All claims for overcharge must be sent to the Auditor of Freight Receipts, Montreal; claims for Loss and Damage should be sent to Freight Claims Agent of Division to which Freight is consigned; Offices of Freight Claims Agents are located in Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary, Vancouver.
This freight will be delivered only on presentation of this bill. See Bill of Lading for conditions of carriage.

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Parry Sound, August 25th 1942
CANADA

M Dept. of Mines & Resources

Parry Sound, Ontario.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

JOHNSON LUMBER COMPANY

DEALERS IN

LUMBER AND BUILDERS' SUPPLIES

Your order # 13975

7 per cent. interest charged on overdue accounts.

INVOICE No. 1393

11	Sqs. #1-5X Shingles	6 50	71	50
35	# Galv. shingle nails	12	4	20
40	ft. Ridge Roll	09	3	60
			79	30
	Freight prepaid to Bala Ont.		4	32
			83	62

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PAY TO Johnson Lumber Co.,

ADDRESS Parry Sound, Ont.

THIS SPACE FOR TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE NO.

DATE

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	
TOTAL			

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE

DATE 1942		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
August	27	Materials for repairs to Gibson Indian		
		Day School	83	62
		Purchase Order No.13973, July 31, 1942		

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
29.8.42
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to sign

			TOTAL	83	62

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Devlin
Agent

FORM No. I.A. 506

VOUCHER No. 156

DATE August 27, 1942

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound *Indian Agency,*

August 27 *19* 42

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 136 ,

amounting to $83.62 *in favour*

of Johnson Lumber Co., Parry Sound, Ont.

for Materials for repair of Gibson Indian Day School

This expenditure was authorized by Purchase Department

Order
~~Letter~~ *No.* 13973 *dated* July 31,1942

EXD.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Devlin

Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

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Indian Affairs Branch
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Form 2768

DUPLICATE PREPAID FREIGHT BILL

SHEET NO. 7

Consignee & Destination

STATION TO BALA ONT

PRO.

DATE

DEPT OF MINES & RESOURCES

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

FOR CHARGES ON ARTICLES WAYBILLED

From, Number, Station	W/B Date	W/B No.	Shipper's Name	Car Init. & Number
4264 PARRYSOUND	AUG 6TH42	99	2660 CP 239519	JOHNSON LBR CO

No. of Packages	Description of Articles and Marks	Weight	Rate	Freight	Advances	Prepaid	Collect
	44 BDLS SHINGLES						
	1 CAR TN NAILS						
1	BDL METAL RIDGE	1800	24	4 32			
						4 32 CHG	~~COLLECT~~
	TOTAL						

Received Payment for the Company

Date_____ 19____ $_____ Agent_____

All freight transported by this Company is subject to its published terms and regulations. All claims for overcharge must be sent to the Auditor of Freight Receipts, Montreal, accompanied by freight bill.

Make Cheques Payable to Order of

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.

Mail to Local Freight Agent

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Parry Sound, August 20th 194 2
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M. Dept. of Mines & Resources

Parry Sound, Ontario.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

JOHNSON LUMBER COMPANY

DEALERS IN

LUMBER AND BUILDERS' SUPPLIES

Your order # 23073

INVOICE NO. 1295

7 per cent. interest charged on overdue accounts.

11	sqs. #1-2X Shingles	6	50	71	50
35	# Galv. shingle nails		12	4	20
40	ft. Ridge Roll		09	3	60
				79	30
	Freight prepaid to Bala Ont.			4	32
				83	62

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

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CHEQUE NO. .....

DATE .....

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	
TOTAL			

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE .....

PAY TO Johnson Lumber Co.,

ADDRESS Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE 1942		SERVICE	AMOUNT
August	27	Materials for repairs to Gibson Indian	
		Day School	83.62
		Purchase Order No.13973, July 31, 1942	

TREASURY OFFICE RECEIVED AUG 31 1942 Treasury Office L.A. BRANCH

I certify that the services specified in this account have been satisfactorily performed, that they were necessary in the interest of the public, and that the charges made are in accordance with contract or agreement authorized by ... dated ... or, if not by contract, the charges are fair and just and that no item in this account has been previously rendered or certified by me for payment. I recommend payment.

.....

TREASURY OFFICE RECEIVED AUG 28 1942 INDIAN AFFAIRS

TOTAL	83.62

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Devlin
Agent

FORM No. I.A. 506

VOUCHER No. 136

DATE August 27, 1942

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Form No. 531

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS No 4414

AGENCY Parry Sound Sept. 4 19 43

RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS $ 5.00

Five 00/100 DOLLARS

ON ACCOUNT OF Cartage on materials for repairs of

ACCOUNT CHARGED Gibson Indian Day School

PAID BY AGENCY CHEQUE No. 94384

[redacted]

RECIPIENT

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DATE .....

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	
TOTAL			

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE .....

PAY TO Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account.

ADDRESS c/o Samuel Devlin,

Indian Agent,

Credit Voucher Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE 1942		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Sept.	4	G. W. Gillan- Cartage on materials for repairs		
		to Gibson Indian Day School.		
		Authority, 22-1-5, July 28, 1942.	5	00
		TRIPLICATE FOR FILES 10 9 X 2 1/2 Voucher in duplicate attached for Accountant to sign.		
		TOTAL	5	00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Devlin
Agent

FORM No. I.A. 506

VOUCHER No. 146 DATE September 8, 1942.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound *Indian Agency,*

September 8, *19* 42

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 146 *,*

amounting to $ 5.00 *in favour*

of Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account, c/o S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound

Credit Voucher

for Cartage on material for repairs to Gibson Indian Day Schoo

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* July 28, 1942.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Devlin

Indian Agent

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

Form No. I.A. 518

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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Form No. I.A. 702
Reqn. No. 269

RETURN OF LABOUR on the Repairs to School on Gibson Reserve

for week ending September 19, 1942.

NAMES	Nature of Employment or Trade / Number of Horses	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	TOTAL	PRICE PER.....	AMOUNT OF WAGES	RECEIVED PAYMENT	WITNESS
Isaac News			Contract							45 00	Isaac News.	

Cheque No. .....
Balance .....
.....
FOREMAN

Vote.....
Allotment.....
Payment Approved .....

Agency.....
E.R. .....

I hereby certify that the services have been performed, materials supplied, and prices are fair and just.

Samuel Devlin
.....
AGENT

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

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CHEQUE NO. .....

DATE .....

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	
TOTAL			

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE .....

PAY TO Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account,

ADDRESS c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,

Parry Sound, Ontario.

Credit Voucher

DATE 1942		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Sept.	19	wages for repairs to Gibson Indian Day School.		
		Authority, 22-1-5, July 28, 1942.	45	00
		TOTAL	45	00

APPROVED:

.....
Director of Indian Affairs.

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate 21:9:42
for Accountant to pay

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Devlin
Agent

FORM No. I.A. 506

VOUCHER No. 157

DATE September 19, 1942.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Letter No.....

Office of the Parry Sound *Indian Agency,*

September 19, *19* 42

EX'D
A

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos. 157 ,

amounting to $ 45.00 *in favour*

of Parry Sound Indian Agency TrustAccount, c/o Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Credit Voucher

for repairs to Gibson Indian Day School.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No. 22-1-5 *dated* July 28, 1942.

Your obedient servant,

Samuel Devlin

Indian Agent

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
SEP 21 1942
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The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

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CANADA

DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, On[redacted]
September 22, [redacted]

Dept. of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
SEP 24 1942
REGISTERED

Dear Sir:-

Please give me authority to purchase the following supplies for the Gibson Indian Day School.

2 Brooms
1 Dustpan
1 Water pail
6 lts. Window Glass 10x12
2 lbs. Putty
12 Cakes Soap.

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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22-1-5

Ottawa,
September 25, 1942.

EX D.
A

Dear Sir:

I desire to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 22nd instant and to state that you are authorized to purchase the following supplies for the Gibson Day School:

2 Brooms
1 Dustpan
1 Water pail
6 Lts. window glass 10 x 12
2 Lbs. putty
12 Cakes soap

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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OFFICE OF THE
INDIAN AGENT

22-1-5

CANADA
DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
October 7, 1942.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
OCT 9 1942
REGISTERED

Dear Sir:

File No. 22-1-4.

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of September 21 with reference to a requisition for school material from the teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. In reply to the last paragraph in this letter, with regard to desks, beg to advise that on a recent visit to this school I unearthed three pupils desks which had been discarded and which I am sure can be repaired so as to be serviceable. Three more pupils desks, however, will be required owing to additions to the roll this term. The teachers desk, however, is a total loss and can not be repaired to be of any value.

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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22-1-5

Ottawa,
October 10, 1942.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of the 7th instant, in which you state that three new desks will meet requirements at the Gibson School. Possibly there are some desks surplus to requirements at some of the other schools in your Agency. If not, you should let me know the size of the desks required. Desks can be obtained in the following sizes:

No.	1	for	pupils	16	to	20	years	of	age
"	2	"	"	12	"	16	"	"	"
"	3	"	"	10	"	12	"	"	"
"	4	"	"	8	"	10	"	"	"
"	5	"	"	5	"	8	"	"	"

When we hear further from you a teacher's desk will also be ordered.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. S. Devlin,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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PHONE 231

91 JAMES STREET
Opposite Post Office

Anita Taylor's Shop

DRY GOODS :: DRESSES

Parry Sound, Ont., Oct 9 1942

M^rs S Hevlin

1	12 skeins string	3	00
2	2 yds print		50
3	1 tape		10
4	2 bias tape		20
5	12 spools thread	1	20
6	6 pkgs needles		30
7		5	30
8			
9			
10			
11			
12			
13	4		
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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PAY TO Anita Taylor's Shop.

ADDRESS Parry Sound, Ontario.

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DATE

VOTE		AGENCY	
ALLOT.	E. R.	AMOUNT	
TOTAL			

EXAMINED AND FOUND CORRECT

DATE

DATE 1942		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Oct.	9	goods supplied for Gibson Indian Day School.		
		Authority, 22-1-4, September 21, 1942.	5	30
		TRIPLICATE FOR FILE 14.10.42. Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.		
		TOTAL	5	30

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

Samuel Devlin
Agent

FORM No. I.A. 506

VOUCHER No. 183 DATE October 9, 1942.

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DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
October 27, 1942.

Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs
OCT 29 1942
REGISTERED

Dear Sir:-

Reference: File No. 22-1-5.

In reply to letter dated October 10 re desks for the Gibson School, beg to advise that there are no surplus desks at any of the other schools in the Agency. The three desks required for the Gibson School will be Size No. 1.

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent,

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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REQUISITION FOR SUPPLIES 22-1-5

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Requisition No. .....

.....

Order No. .....

Ottawa, October 30 19 42

To The Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa,

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF

Gibson Indian Day School

VOTE 76 - Allotment 12-415

SHIP TO Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, BALA, Ont.

EX D. A

Purpose for which required

NOTE:—Requisition for non-consumable equipment, state if New Issue or Replacement.
" consumable equipment and supplies use columns 1 and 2.

Quantity		Quantity on hand (1)	Quantity used per month (2)	Unit Price	TOTAL
3	Single School Desks No. 1				
	NOTE:- Owing to increased attendance at this school, three new desks are urgently needed. There are no desks surplus to requirements at the other schools in the agency. It would be appreciated if you would place the order for the desks requested above.				
	While the freight address of the school is Bala, Ont., the accounts and advice regarding date of shipment should be forwarded to the post office address of the Indian Agent, Viz:-				
	S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.				

I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED—

APPROVED—

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

REQUISITION FOR SUPPLIES

22-1-5

Ottawa, October 30 1942

To The Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa,

DOMINION ARCHIVES & PUBLIC RECORDS OFFICE OTTAWA. OCT 31 1942 PURCHASING OFFICE

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Requisition No. 15468

Order No.

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF

Gibson Indian Day School

VOTE 76 - Allotment 12-415

SHIP TO Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, BALA, Ont.

Purpose for which required

NOTE:—Requisition for non-consumable equipment, state if New Issue or Replacement.
" consumable equipment and supplies use columns 1 and 2.

Quantity		Quantity on hand (1)	Quantity used per month (2)	Unit Price	TOTAL
3	Single School Desks No. 1				
	NOTE:- Owing to increased attendance at this school, three new desks are urgently needed. There are no desks surplus to requirements at the other schools in the agency. It would be appreciated if you would place the order for the desks requested above.				
	While the freight address of the school is Bala, Ont., the accounts and advice regarding date of shipment should be forwarded to the post office address of the Indian Agent, Viz:- S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.				

I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED— D. Nelson

APPROVED— Harold McGill Director

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

Order No. 15192

RECEIPT FORM

This order number to appear on all packages and invoices

File No.

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Supplies mentioned hereunder have been received and found satisfactory with exception of those listed under "Remarks".

Dale, Ont.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL	
1 only	Single school desks, size #2, 10 New Globe combination Purchase certificate attached Estimated Cost....$7.00			
	Blue shipment to Agent Dec 9/42			

Prices F.O.B. Dale, Ont. as per your on basis of previous of

Shipping Instructions Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Dale, Ont.

Vote 70 Primary 949

Encumbrance No.

Date to be delivered: Promptly

Freight or Express charges paid

Remarks: (Report shortages, if any)

Branch Date

TO BE RETURNED TO HEAD OF BRANCH

Signature of Receiving C

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Ottawa,
November 25, 1942.

EX'D.
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Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

Inspector Johnson, in his report on the Gibson Indian Day School dated October 8, 1942, states:

"I noticed more progress than usual in the advancement of the pupils. The teacher is doing excellent work in spite of the fact that he is handicapped by lack of proper teaching equipment."

It would be appreciated if you could secure information from the Inspector or from the teacher or from both of them in respect to the equipment which appears to be necessary at this school. A report from an Inspector that merely states equipment is lacking is of no value whatever to this Department.

Your immediate attention to this matter will be very much appreciated.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Department of Mines & Resources
NOV 30 1942
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Parry Sound, Ontario,
November 27, 1942.

Dear Sir:-

File No. 22-1-5.

I acknowledge receipt of your letter dated November 25 with reference to a report from Inspector Johnson on the Gibson Indian Day School dated October 8, 1942. Since the date of the inspector's report a considerable amount of equipment has been supplied to the Gibson Indian Day School. In fact, practically everything which the teacher requisitioned for, and I have no complaints from him as to any shortage of equipment. However, I will take the matter up with the teacher on my next visit to the Reserve.

Yours truly,

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

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File No. 22-1-5

Credit Advice

December 2nd, 1942.

MEMO.

The following remittance has been received from

Indian Agent Samuel Devlin at Parry Sound Agency

and recorded in the Official Cash Book. DEC 12 1942 Folio 271

Amount $ 2.00

Agency Receipt No. 39913 dated November 23rd, 1942,

Payer Mrs. Pat Stock on account of two (2) bags of cement

remaining from repairs to Gibson School - 393-76-10-691.

J.H. Gee

Chief Treasury Officer.

C. T. 231
5M—27-1-41

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File No. 22-1-5

Credit Advice

December 2nd, 1942.

MEMO.

The following remittance has been received from

Indian Agent Samuel Devlin at Parry Sound Agency

and recorded in the Official Cash Book. Folio 271

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
DEC 12 1942

Amount $5.00

Agency Receipt No. ..... dated .....

Payer ..... on account of unexpended balance advance for repairs to Gibson Indian Day School - 393-76-10-998.

J.W. Lee

Chief Treasury Officer.

C. T. 231
5M—27-1-41

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WATERLOO, ONT. Nov. 10, 1942. 19

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Ottawa, Ont.

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Terms.....Net 30 days.....

Form 151 10m-9-37-M.P.C.

Interest will be charged on all Overdue Accounts

To 3 Size 1 #10 Single desks @ 8.55 - - - $25.65

Sales tax included

Shipped to:
Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,
Bala, Ontario.

E. & O. E.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE NO. .....

DATE .....

Pay to Globe Furniture Co. Ltd.,

Address Waterloo, Ontario.

DATE 1942		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Nov.	10	Desks for Gibson Indian Day School.	25	65

EX'D A

DUPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate attached
for Accountant to pay
18-12-42

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 22-1-5 dated Nov. 3, 1942.

FORM No. I.A. 506
Req. 1265

Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER NO. 240

DATE December 12, 194[illegible].

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
October 28, 1943.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I request an advance of $7.50 for cleaning of the Gibson Indian Day School. The school has been thoroughly cleaned, the walls and ceiling washed, making a very considerable improvement.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. No.....

FILE No. 22-1-5

TREAS. No.....

DEPARTMENT MINES & RESOURCES

BRANCH INDIAN AFFAIRS DATE November 1, 1943.

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:—

CHEQUE No.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT
	Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account Send cheque to: Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.	$7 50

EXD

STATE BELOW WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (a) STANDING ADVANCE, (b) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY—ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (c) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (d) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Labour for repairs to Gibson Indian Day School, No. 393.

CHARGE TO { VOTE 76 ENC. NO.....
ALLOTMENT 10-691
SUB-ALLOTMENT.....

I CERTIFY, THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

HEAD OF BRANCH

TREASURY OFFICE APPROVAL

DEPUTY HEAD

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
October 23, 1943.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I am enclosing copy of requisition received from Mr. J. O. Harris, teacher of the Gibson Reserve Day School. There are a number of items on the list which we have not been in the habit of supplying in this Agency, namely running shoes for P.T. and materials for a sewing class. I might say that Mrs. Harris was, I believe, for some time a sewing mistress at Norway House and is therefore very much interested in this type of work which I myself believe to be of considerable value amongst the Indian girls on this Reserve. I would be obliged if you would advise me as to whether or not any of these debatable items can be supplied.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa,
November 2, 1943.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

With reference to your letter of the 23rd ultimo, it has been decided to supply a sewing machine for use at the Gibson Day School. It is noted that the teacher's wife will use this machine to teach sewing to the Indian girls on the reserve.

You may purchase 2 brooms, 6 panes of glass, 2 lbs. putty, 1 water pail and 1 padlock. The Department does not supply running shoes. If required, you may expend an amount not exceeding $20.00 in the purchase of sewing material. A teacher's desk is also being ordered.

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R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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File No. 22-1-5

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

November 2 1943

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Requisition No.

Order No.

To The Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa,

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF Gibson Indian Day School

VOTE 76 ALLOTMENT 12-415 ALLOCATION SYMBOLS

SHIP TO Mr. J.O. Harris, Teacher, Gibson Indian Day School,
Bala, Ont.

Purpose for which required

QUANTITY		UNIT PRICE		TOTAL
1	Teacher's desk similar to Globe No. 121			
1	Singer sewing machine No. 127-3-2, mission finish			

I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED—

APPROVED—

Director

NOTE:— 1. In ordering stationery and printed matter use separate sheets.
2. Order numbered forms by number or send sample.
3. Orders for unnumbered forms should be accompanied by samples.
4. Orders for books should be accompanied by sample pages or folios.
5. Orders for which purchase orders will issue should give as full details as possible for each item.
6. All Requisitions should be submitted in duplicate. One copy will be returned as acknowledgment.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

Order No 20895

RECEIPT FORM

This order number to appear on all packages and invoices

File No. 50140-15-30

Clarke Furniture Co. Ltd.,

Waterloo, Ont.

Ottawa, November 4, 19..

Supplies mentioned hereunder have been received and found satisfactory with exception of those listed under "Remarks".

Mr. J.O.Harris, Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ont. (One copy of invoice should be forwarded to the Undersigned.)

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL	
1 only	Teacher's desk 1&1, with 3 side drawers and one centre drawer with lock. Birch-finished school desk brown.			
		Estimated cost.....	33.00	
	Please prepay transportation charges and attach prepaid shipping invoices to regular invoices.			

WMV/HC

Prices F.O.B. as per your on basis of previous quotation and current prices to this Dept.

Shipping Instructions Mr. J.O.Harris, Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Bala, Muskoka, Ont.

Vote 76 Primary 12-415

Encumbrance No. 1041

Date to be delivered: Promptly.

Freight or Express charges paid

Remarks: (Report shortages, if any)

Branch Date *Signature of Receiving Officer*

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

Order No 20896
22-1-5.

This order number to appear on all packages and invoices

RECEIPT FORM

File No. 801/40-15-10

Ottawa, December 4, 1940.

Singer Sewing Machine Co. Inc.,
Central Agency, 254 Yonge St.,
Toronto 1, Ont.

Supplies mentioned hereunder have been received and found satisfactory with exception of those listed under "Remarks".

4 Mr. J.C.Harris, Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ont.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL
1 only	Singer sewing machine No. 127-3-2, Mission finish f.o.b. your shop nearest to Bala, Ont. Extra freight allowed if destination is more than 15 miles from your nearest shop. Blue slip sent Agent For 9/43		38.80

WMV/EC

Prices F.O.B. as per your On basis of current prices to this Department. of

Shipping Instructions Mr. J.C.Harris, Teacher,
Gibson Indian Day School,
Bala, Ont.

Vote 76 Primary 12-415 Date to be delivered:

Encumbrance No. 1041. Promptly.

Freight or Express charges paid

Remarks: (Report shortages, if any)

Branch Date

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
November 5, 1943.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

File No. 22-1-5.

I acknowledge receipt of letter dated November 2 with authority for various expenditures for the Gibson Day School.

With regard to the sewing machine, I would be obliged if you would advise if this will be purchased directly by you or if you desire that I should obtain one locally.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

Department of Citizenship & Immigration
Indian Affairs
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Ottawa,
November 9, 1943.

EX'D.
A.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

With reference to your letter of the 5th instant, the Department has already ordered the sewing machine for the Gibson School and a copy of purchase order 20896 was forwarded to you today. You have also been forwarded a copy of purchase order 20895, covering the new teacher's desk for this school.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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November 5, 1943.

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Mrs. Isaac News.

Cleaning Gibson Indian Day School $7.50

Rec'd Payment Mrs. I. News

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FORM No. I.A. 506A

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No.....

Date.....

Pay to Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account.

Address c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,

Parry Sound, Ontario.

Credit Voucher

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1943				
Nov.	5	Cleaning Gibson Indian Day School EX'D. A.		
		Mrs. I. News.	7	50

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
15. 11. 43
Voucher in duplicate attached
for Accountant to pay.

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No.....dated.....

Samuel Devlin
Agent

Voucher No. 242

Date November 11, 1943.

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Requisition for School Material

Date Dec. 9th. *19* 43

For Gibson Day *School* Parry Sound *Agency*

NOTE:—

To avoid delay, teachers should give full particulars regarding each article required.

The name, series, number of grade, and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

When ordering kindergarten material, the catalogue number of some well known firm should be given for each article required.

Only one item should be specified on each line of this requisition and no entry should be made under heading "Number Authorized".

ARTICLES	NUMBER ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NUMBER REQUIRED	NUMBER AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
Hand Grinder	None		1		For sharpening chisels
Files	None		6		For sharpening saws
Stove pipe lengths	18		18		Old pipes worn out-7"
Stove pipe elbows	1		1		" " " " 7"
Dowel Chisel	None		2		1 Curved ½" and 1-¼"
Saw set	None		1		For lining up of saws
Finishing nails	None		5 lbs.		½" and ¼"
1 Taper Pipe	1		1		Old one worn 7" size.
1 yard ruler	None		1		wooden
1 tape measure	None		1		
Carriage bolts	None		4 doz.		3" and 2½" for making work bench
wash basin - large	1		1		very old and broken
medium garbage pail	None		1		For after lunch refuse
Chlorinated lime	None		100 lbs		For outside toilets
~~1 Bottle (Sanitary)~~	~~None~~		~~1~~		~~For testing well water~~
~~Waste Paper Basket~~	~~None~~		~~1~~		~~For teacher~~
Clock	None		1		No clock for school
Hasp sets	None		2		Small
Padlocks	None		2		Small
Turpentine & Linseed Oil			1 gal	each	For paint and brushes
Oil Stone	None		1		For sharpening tools
Coat Hooks	None		18		

N.B.—Explicit information regarding address must be furnished.

Name J. O. Harris,

School Gibson Day

Post Office (nearest) Sahanatien, Ont.

Express Office (nearest) Bala,

Province Ontario

Department of Mines & Resources Indian Affairs Branch DEC 15 1943 R.F.

J. O. Harris
Teacher

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial Schools.

Samuel Devlin
Indian Agent

FORM No. I.A. 413
R. 1127

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Ottawa,
December 15, 1943.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

With reference to requisition of the 9th instant, you may purchase the following for use at the Gibson Indian Day School:

18 Stove pipe lengths
1 Stove pipe elbow
2 Dowel chisels
1 Saw set
5 Lbs. finishing nails
1 Taper pipe
1 Yard ruler
1 Tape measure
4 Doz. carriage bolts
1 Large wash basin
1 Medium garbage pail
100 Lbs. chlorinated lime
1 Ordinary alarm clock ✓
2 Small hasp sets
2 Small padlocks
1 Gal. turpentine
1 Gal. linseed oil
1 Oil stone
18 Coat hooks

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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J. B. LITTLE

Jeweler and Optometrist

Parry Sound, Dec. 21st 1943

M Indian Affairs Branch
Parry Sound

To alarm Clock	1	65
Tax		41
	2	06
Chg		

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Schools

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to J. B. Little.

Address Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1943				
Dec.	21	Alarm clock for Gibson Indian Day School.	2	06

2f:12:43

EX'D. A

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 22a1-5 dated Dec.15, 1943.

Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 296

DATE December 21, 1943.

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Ottawa,
January 6, 1944.

EX'D.
A.

Memorandum:

DEPARTMENTAL PURCHASING AGENT

I attach account amounting to $129.12, covering the cost of miscellaneous supplies for the Gibson Day School as well as equipment for the manual training class at this school. It would be appreciated if you would issue purchase order so that the account may be paid.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

DUPLICATE

FREIGHT BILL—PREPAID CHARGES

PREPAID FREIGHT BILL NO.

CAR INITIALS AND NUMBER: CP

DATE: DEC22ND43

WAYBILL No.: WB 4772

TO STATION: BALA PROV. OR STATE: ONT

FROM STATION: NO. (4264) PARRYSOUND PROV. OR STATE: ONT

SHIPPER: WM BEATTY CO

ROUTE

CONSIGNEE, AND ADDRESS.: MR J C HARRIS

FINAL DESTINATION AND ADDITIONAL ROUTING

INSTRUCTIONS

TO

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, DR.

FOR CHARGES BILLED PREPAID AS NOTED BELOW.

PLEASE MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO THE ORDER OF CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY AND REMIT

TO

DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES AND MARKS		WEIGHT	RATE	FREIGHT	ADVANCES	PREPAID
2 GARTN HARDWARE 1 RDL CLAMPS		85	M	50		50 CHG

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Parry Sound, 194

M[redacted]partment of Indian Affairs

ACCOUNT NO.

Sale, Ontario.

BOUGHT OF **The William Beatty Company,** LIMITED

HARDWARE, FURNITURE, HOUSE FURNISHINGS

— MEN'S WEAR —

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Dec. 21	1 only Saw Set			2.50	
	2 lbs. 3/4 x 18 Brads @ .30			.60	
	1 lb. 5/8 x 18 "			35	
	1 only 50 ft. Tape (Linen)			95	
	2 doz. 3/8 x 3 Carraige Bolts .30			60	
	2 " 3/8 x 2½ " " .30			60	
	1 only Wash Basin			40	
	1 " Garbage Pail			2.10	
	1 gal. Turpentine			2.00	
	1 gal. Boiled Oil			1.25	
	2 only 1 gal. Jars .15			30	
	1 only Oil Stone			65	
	1½ doz. Coat Hooks 1.35			2.03	
	1 gross 1 x 9 F.H. Bright Screws			45	
	5 lbs. Gassin Glue .70			3.50	
	4 only 3 ft. Box Clamps 3.90			15.60	
	To Freight			33.50	
				34.38	

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

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FREIGHT BILL—PREPAID CHARGES

PREPAID FREIGHT BILL NO.

CAR INITIALS AND NUMBER

DATE: DEC 6TH43

WAYBILL No.: WB 4588

TO STATION: BALA PROV. OR STATE: ONT

FROM STATION NO. ( ): 4264 PARRYSOUND PROV. OR STATE: ONT

SHIPPER: WM BEATTY CO

ROUTE

CONSIGNEE, AND ADDRESS.
MR J D HARRIS

FINAL DESTINATION AND ADDITIONAL ROUTING

INSTRUCTIONS

TO
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, DR.
FOR CHARGES BILLED PREPAID AS NOTED BELOW.

PLEASE MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO THE ORDER OF CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY AND REMIT

TO

DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES AND MARKS		WEIGHT	RATE	FREIGHT	ADVANCES	PREPAID
2 CARTN HARDWARE						
1 PARCEL SAWS						
2 CARTN PAPR TOWELS		135	M	50		50
						CHG

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ACCOUNT NO.

Bala, Ontario.

BOUGHT OF **The William Beatty Company,** LIMITED

HARDWARE, FURNITURE, HOUSE FURNISHINGS

— MEN'S WEAR —

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
	Carried Forward			66.84	
Dec. 4	1 gal. Varnish			7.55	
	6 pts. Enamel (assorted colours) 1.05			6.30	
	4 doz. sheets Assorted Sandpaper .15			60	
	48 pkgs. Paper Towels .15			7.20	
	1 qt. Blackboard Paint			1.60	
	1 only Mortise Lock Set			1.00	
	1 pr. 3½" Butt Hinges			35	
	2 only 10 lb. bags Lime .35			70	
	1 " 24" Sqare			1.25	
	To Freight			50	
				85.89	

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Dale, Ontario.

ACCOUNT NO.

BOUGHT OF **The William Beatty Company,** LIMITED

HARDWARE, FURNITURE, HOUSE FURNISHINGS

= MEN'S WEAR =

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Dec. 4	1 only medium Screw Driver .			.25	
	1 " small " "			.25	
	1 " Hand Saw			3.00	
	1 " Rip Saw			3.25	
	2 " Smooth Planes @ 2.25			4.50	
	1 " Hack Plane			3.00	
	1 pr. Pliers			2.25	
	2 only Crescent Wrenches 1.20			2.40	
	4 " Panel Saws 2.45			9.80	
	1 " 24" Spirit Level			1.45	
	3 " 6" Squares .20			60	
	3 " 6' " .25			75	
	1 " ¼" Auger Bit			55	
	1 " ⅜" " "			70	
	1 " 3/8 " "			55	
	1 " 5/8 " "			85	
	1 " 3/4 " "			95	
	1 " 1" " "			1.50	
	6 " Claw Hammers .50			3.00	
	1 " ½ Wood Chisel			65	
	2 " ½ " " .75			1.50	
	2 " ¾ " " .80			1.60	
	2 " 1 " " .90			1.80	
	2 " 1¼ " " 1.60			3.20	
	1 " 1¾ " "			1.80	
	2 " Draw Knives 3.15			6.30	
	1 gross Assorted Wood Screws			65	
	4 lbs. 1½" Nails .07			28	
	4 " 2" " .06			24	
	4 " 2½" " .06			24	
	4 " 3" " .06			24	
	4 " 4" " .06			24	
	5 " 1½" Fin. Nails .08			40	
	2 coils Stove Pipe Wire .05			10	
	Forward			56.84	

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FREIGHT BILL—PREPAID CHARGES

		PREPAID FREIGHT BILL NO.
CAR INITIALS AND NUMBER CP	DATE DEC 6TH43	WAYBILL No. WR 4585
TO STATION PROV. OR STATE PICKERAL ONT	FROM STATION PROV. OR STATE NO. 4264) PARRYSOUND ONT	

SHIPPER

WM BEATTY CO

ROUTE

TO

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, DR.

FOR CHARGES BILLED PREPAID AS NOTED BELOW.

PLEASE MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO THE ORDER OF CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY AND REMIT

CONSIGNEE, AND ADDRESS.

HENRY A SHAWA SAGA

TO

FINAL DESTINATION AND ADDITIONAL ROUTING

INSTRUCTIONS

DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES AND MARKS		WEIGHT	RATE	FREIGHT	ADVANCES	PREPAID
10 BAGS LIME		500	27	1 35		1 35 CHG

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ACCOUNT NO.

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BOUGHT OF **The William Beatty Company,** LIMITED

HARDWARE, FURNITURE, HOUSE FURNISHINGS

= MEN'S WEAR =

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Dec. 4	10 bags Hydrated Lime @ .75			7.50	
	To Freight			1.35	
				8.85	

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to.....The William Beatty Company Ltd.,.....

Address.....Parry Sound, Ont.....

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.....

DATE 1943		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Dec.	4	Lime supplied to Indians of the Henvey Inlet Band, 55-22, Dec. 1, 1943.	8	85
	4	Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School. 22-1-5, Nov. 30, 1943	85	89
	21	Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School. 22-1-5, Dec. 15, 1943.	34	38
			129	12

DUPLICATE FOR FILE
PAYMENT IN DUPLICATE REFERRED
for Accountant to pay.
11-1-44

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No.....dated.....

Samuel Devlin
.....
Agent

FORM No. I.A. 506
Req. 1265

VOUCHER No. 306

January 3, 1944.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

Order No 21898

RECEIPT FORM

This order number to appear on all packages and invoices

File No. 15-29

The William Beatty Company Ltd., Ottawa, January 7, 1946.

Parry Sound, Ont.

Supplies mentioned hereunder have been received and found satisfactory with exception of those listed under "Remarks".

Already received

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL	
	Purchased by Indian Agent Devlin for Parry Sound Agency Indians			
(a)	Line for whitewashing houses of Henvoy Inlet - Reserve #2		$ 8.65	
(b)	Manual training tools and miscellaneous hardware for Gibson Indian Day School		85.89	
(c)	Miscellaneous hardware and manual training supplies for Gibson Indian Day School		34.38	
			$129.12	
	As per accounts dated Dec. 4 and 21, 1945.			
	Voucher No. 306			
	To be charged as follows:			
	Vote 75 - 10 - 691 - $ 8.65			
Rel.	" 76 - 12 - 418 -			
	" 76 - 08 - 259 -			
WHV/EO	Prices F.O.B. as per your of			

Shipping Instructions Already received

Vote As above Primary Date to be delivered:

Encumbrance No. 12223.

Freight or Express charges paid

Remarks: (Report shortages, if any)

Branch Date Signature of Receiving

TO BE RETURNED TO HEAD OF BRANCH

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Ottawa,
January 6, 1944.

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Memorandum:

DEPARTMENTAL PURCHASING AGENT

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R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Jan. 14/44.

Dept. of Indian Affairs ,

Parry Sound, Ontario.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Albert Commandant.

Carriage on Tools and school supplies for Gibson	
Indian Day School, Bala to Gibson Res.	$2.00

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FORM No. I.A. 506A

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

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CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to Albert Commandant,

Address Sahastien, P.O., Ontario.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1944				
Jan.	14	carriage on tools and school supplies for		
		Gibson Indian Day School, Bala to Gibson Res.	2	00

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Agent

VOUCHER No. 324

DATE January 14, 1944.

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Jan. 14/44.

Dept. of Indian Affairs
Parry Sound, Ontario.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Louis Thompson.

Carriage on teacher's desk for Gibson Indian Day School, Bala to Gibson Reserve.	$1.00

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No.....

Date.....

Pay to Louis Thompson.

Address Sahanatien, P.O., Ontario.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1944 Jan.	14	carriage on teacher's desk for Gibson Indian Day School, Bala to Gibson Reserve.	1	00

14-1-44

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No.....dated.....

Samuel Devlin
Agent

Voucher No. 325

Date January 14, 1944.

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Ottawa, February 8, 1944.

Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

With reference to Purchase Order No. 20895 and No. 20896, covering desk, sewing machine for the Gibson Indian Day School, kindly forward vouchers at the earliest opportunity.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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GRAVENHURST, Nov. 1943.

Dept. of Indian Affairs

per Mrs J. O. Harris Bala-Ont

BOUGHT OF

McJANNET LIMITED

GENERAL MERCHANTS

17	24¾ yds. Print	6	19
	2 Patterns	1	00
	Embrid. Cotton	1	00
	2 Cards N 1 Eyes		20
	6 " Domds		30
	12 Spools Thread	1	20
	3 Bias Tape		45
	3 Cards Buttons		45
	Postage on Parcel		15
		10	94

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No.....

Date.....

Pay to McJannet Limited,

Address Gravenhurst, Ontario.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1944				
Nov.	17	materials supplied for Gibson Indian Day School	10	94

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I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 22-1-5 dated Nov. 2, 1943.

Samuel Devlin
Agent

Voucher No. 369

Date February 11, 1944.

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M Department of Mines and Resources,

J.O. Harris, Teacher,

BOUGHT OF Gibson Indian Day School, BALA, Ont.

SINGER SEWING MACHINE COMPANY

254 Yonge St. - - Toronto, Ont.

No. 20896

1	only 127-3-2 Singer Sewing Machine #501132 less 45%	70 55		38 79

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to Singer Sewing Machine Co. Inc.,

Address Central Agency, 254 Yonge St.,

Toronto 1, Ont.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1943	Sewing maching supplied to Gibson Indian Day		49
	School.	38	80

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE

20.8.44

voucher in duplicate detached

the Accountant to pay...

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No.....dated Purchase Order 20896

Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 371

DATE February 11, 1944.

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OFFICE OF THE
INDIAN AGENT

CANADA
DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
February 17, 1944.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

File No. 22-1-5.

I am in receipt of vouchers Nos. 370 and 371 returned to me to have invoices attached. I forwarded these vouchers in accordance with your letter dated February 8 on the understanding that invoices had been received in Ottawa for these materials. The goods have been delivered, but I have not received any invoices at this office. Possibly you may obtain these by application to the firms who made the shipment.

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

Dept of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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Ottawa, February 19, 1944.

The Singer Sewing Machine Co. Inc. 254 Yonge St.
Toronto, Ontario.

With reference to our Order # 20896 covering a sewing machine sent to the Gibson Indian Day School November 4th, 1943, we understand that this machine has been delivered but no invoices have been received, kindly forward invoices to this office for payment.

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Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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EX'D.
A.

Ottawa, February 19, 1944.

The Globe Furniture Co. Ltd, Waterloo, Ontario.

With reference to our Order # 20895 covering a teacher's desk shipped to the Gibson Indian Day School November 4th, 1943, we understand that this desk has been delivered but no invoices have been received, kindly forward invoices to this office for payment.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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SINGER SEWING MACHINE COMPANY

CENTRAL AGENCY
254 YONGE STREET
TORONTO, ONT.

Form 500
Printed in Canada.

Dr. Patterson
J. Phelan

February 23rd, 1944

Department of Mines and Resources,
PARLIAMENT BLDGS.,
OTTAWA, Ontario

DEPUTY MINISTER
FEB 24
OTTAWA

DEPT. OF MINES & RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH
FEB 25 194

Attention- Mr. Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division

Dear Sirs,

In reply to yours of February 19th in connection with your order #20896 covering a sewing machine sent to the Gibson Indian Day School on November 4th, 1943, we wish to advise that we do not have a record of this order in our office here. Kindly advise us the location of the Gibson Indian Day School and we shall endeavour to follow up and ascertain which of our agencies handled the shipment of the machine in question. If this School is located outside of the Province of Ontario, we may have forwarded the order to our Winnipeg Agency for fulfilment and in that case our Winnipeg representative should have instructed us to take care of the necessary billing as soon as the machine was delivered.

Thanking you for your co-operation in this instance, we remain,

Yours very truly,

SINGER SEWING MACHINE COMPANY
W. H. Brent, General Agent,
J. D. Richardson

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Pur Order 20896 Nov. 4.
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to Agent: Nov-4-43

Letter to Agent Nov-4-43

Letter to Agent: Feb-8-44

Agent's Letter of Feb 14-44
States goods delivered
Letter to Singer Feb-14
reply under

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Ottawa,
February 26, 1944.

EX'D.
A

Gentlemen:

I have your letter of the 23rd instant, with reference to our letter of February 19 regarding purchase order 20896. This purchase order covered a sewing machine to be shipped to Mr. J.O. Harris, Teacher, Gibson Indian Day School, Bala, Ontario. In a letter from our agent at that point dated February 17, 1944, he stated that the sewing machine had been received at the school but that no invoice had been received from the company. I trust the information contained in this letter will be sufficient for you to forward the necessary invoice.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

The Singer Sewing Machine Company,
Central Agency,
254 Yonge Street,
Toronto 1, Ont.

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THE GLOBE FURNITURE CO. LIMITED

Waterloo, Ontario.

February 22, 1944.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

S T A T E M E N T

Sept.	9/43	- Your order	19834, Balcarres, Sask. - - - - - - -	398.10
	20	- " "	20176, Redwood Dock, Winnipeg, Man	192.09
Oct.	28	- " "	19834, Balcarres, Sask. - - - - - -	546.10
Dec.	1	- " "	20895, Bala, Ont. - - - - - - -	32.38
	9	- " "	21458, Kenora, Ont. - - - - - - -	41.31
Jan.	10	- " "	23055A, Kamloops, B.C. - - - - - - -	454.06
	11	- " "	23110A, Duncan, B.C. - - - - - - -	218.74
	22	- " "	21968, Lebret, Sask. - - - - - - -	233.76
	25	- " "	22026, Prince Albert, Sask. - - -	1095.00
	28	- " "	22130, Prince Albert, Sask. - - -	217.08
				$3,428.62

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Waterloo, Ontario
February the 22,
1944.

Mr. Nicholson
Please
Jackpot

DEPUTY MINISTER
FEB 24 1944
Department of Mines & Resources
OTTAWA.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
FEB 26 1944

Department of Mines & Resources
OTTAWA.
FEB 23 1944
PURCHASING OFFICE

Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Gentlemen:

As requested in your letter of February the 19th, we enclose another copy of our invoice for your order #20895 of November the 4th, 1943. not received here until

We also enclose a statement of your account.

Yours very truly,

THE GLOBE FURNITURE CO. LIMITED

E J Miller
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EJM/MB
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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

FORM No. I.A. 506A

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No.....

Date.....

Pay to Globe Furniture Co. Ltd.,

Address Waterloo, Ontario.

DATE 1944	SERVICE	AMOUNT
	Teachers desk supplied to Gibson Indian Day School.	33 38 ~~33 00~~
	4.3.44	

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No.....dated Purchase Order 20895

Samuel Devlin

Agent

Voucher No. 370

Date February 11, 1944.

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22-1-5

Ottawa,
February 29, 1944.

EX'D.
A.

Gentlemen:

With reference to your letter of the 22nd instant, we now have received the account covering the cost of the teacher's desk supplied to the Gibson Day School and ordered on our purchase order No. 20895. The account covers an item of 78¢ for freight. Present regulations require that we have a receipt from the transportation company before payment of freight can be made. It would, therefore, be appreciated if you would forward this receipt and payment of the account will then receive immediate attention.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

The Globe Furniture Co. Ltd.,
Waterloo, Ont.

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SCHOOL FURNITURE · · · THEATRE & ASSEMBLY SEATING

PLEASE ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE COMPANY AND NOT TO INDIVIDUALS

Waterloo, Ontario
March 2, 1944.

DEPUTY MINISTER
MAR 3 1944
OTTAWA
Department of Mines & Resources

Department of Mines & Resources
OTTAWA.
MAR 3 1944
PURCHASING OFFICE

Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Gentlemen:

As requested in your letter of February the 29th, we enclose herewith copy of freight bill on the desks shipped in December to Gibson Day School at Bala, Ontario, your order number 20895.

Yours very truly,

THE GLOBE FURNITURE CO. LIMITED

Mary Bauer

Shipping Dept.

MB
encl

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22-1-5

OFFICE OF THE
INDIAN AGENT

CANADA
DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
March 18, 1944.

EX'D.
A.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

File No. 22-1-5.

Further to my letter of February 17, regarding invoices to accompany voucher No. 371, I find that this invoice, instead of coming to this office, had been mailed to the school teacher on the Gibson Reserve and I am now enclosing invoice copies covering the sewing machine received at the Gibson Indian Day School.

Samuel Devlin
Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

Enc.

MAR 20 1944

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22-1-5

Requisition for School Material

Date April 19th 1944

For Gibson Day School Parry Sound Agency

NOTE:—

To avoid delay, teachers should give full particulars regarding each article required.

The name, series, number of grade, and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

When ordering kindergarten material, the catalogue number of some well known firm should be given for each article required.

Only one item should be specified on each line of this requisition and no entry should be made under heading "Number Authorized".

ARTICLES	NUMBER ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NUMBER REQUIRED	NUMBER AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
Rakes	—		4		
Hoes	—		4		
Trowels	—		4		
Watering Cans	—		4		
Forkes	—		2		
Spade	—		2		
Seeds					
Peas			1 lb.		
Beans Green			½ oz.		
Beans Yellow Wax			½ oz.		
Parsnip			¼ oz.		
Soy Bean			¼ oz.		
Sunflower			⅛ oz.		
Carrot			⅛ oz.		
Raddish			⅛ oz.		
Lettuce Head			⅛ oz.		
Lettuce Leaf			⅛ oz.		
Raddish			⅛ oz.		
Corn			¼ oz		
Squash			⅛ oz		

MAY 11 1944

N.B.—Explicit information regarding address must be furnished.

Name J. C. Harris.

School Gibson Day School

Post Office (nearest) Lahanatien

Express Office (nearest) Bala (C.P.R.)

Province Ontario

J. C. Harris.
Teacher

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial Schools.

Samuel Devlin
Indian Agent

FORM No. I.A. 413
R. 9777

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22-1-5

Ottawa,
May 12, 1944.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

With reference to requisition of the 19th instant, you may purchase the following articles for use at the Gibson Day School:

4 Rakes
4 Hoes
4 Trowels
1 Watering can
2 Forks
2 Spades

Seeds

1 Oz. peas
½ " green beans
½ Oz. yellow wax beans
½ " parsnip
½ " soy bean
1/8" sunflower
1/8" carrot
1/8" raddish
1/8" head lettuce
1/8" leaf lettuce
½ " corn
1/8" squash

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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TELEPHONE:–Local and Long Distance

McNEIL & NORRIS

MARINE GARAGE HARDWARE
BOAT and CAR LIVERY

Bala, Ont., May 16th 1944

M Dept of Indian Affairs

TERMS—CASH P. Sound.

1	Nov. 13th 1943. Padlock		85
2	One tin Pail -		75
3	2 Heavy Brooms @ 80	1	60
4	above charged to		
5	Mr. Harris in error		
6	Apr. 27/44		
7	One Padlock for		
8	School -		50
9			
10		3	70
11			
12			
13			
14			
15			
16			
17			
18	2		

Order No. 225 forbids the extension of credit beyond 25 days of month following purchase.

LAWSON & JONES LIMITED, LONDON

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

FORM No. I.A. 506A

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No.....

Date.....

Pay to McNeil & Norris,

Address Bala, Ontario.

DATE 1944		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
May	16	supplies for Gibson Indian Day School.	3	70

DUPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in duplicate detached 22-6-44

for Accountant to pay.

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No.....dated.....

Samuel Devlin

Agent

Voucher No. 52

Date May 19, 1944.

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ACCOUNT NO.

LETTER	FOLIO

Bala, May 16 194 4

Mrs S. Devlin

For Sahanation School.

In Account With J. W. BURGESS LIMITED

GENERAL MERCHANT

BALA - ONTARIO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

TO ACCOUNT RENDERED

Nov.30/43				
	6	Toilet Tissue		50
Dec.11/43				
	18	7inch Pipes	4.50	
	1	Elbow	.35	4. 85
Jan.28/44				
	1	Doz. Toilet Paper		1. 00
		Forward		6. 35

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ACCOUNT NO.

LETTER	FOLIO

Bala, May 16 1944.

M. S Devlin

For Sahanatien School.

In Account With J. W. BURGESS LIMITED

GENERAL MERCHANT

BALA . ONTARIO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

		TO ACCOUNT RENDERED Forward		6.	35
May	16/44				
		Seeds		2.	10
May	16/44				
	3	Hoes @70	2.10		
	1	Hoe	.95		
	3	Rakes @ 1.00	3.00		
	1	Rake	.75		
	1	Fork	1.25		
	2	Spades @ 1.50	3.00		
	3	Garden Sets @48	1.44		
			12.49	12.	49
		Total		20	94

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE NO.....

DATE.....

Pay to J. W. Burgess,

Address Bala, Ontario.

DATE 1944		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Nov.	30/43	Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School.		
Dec.	11/43			
Jan.	28/44			
May	16/44		20	94

Rec'd Returned Ile Agent
for Items on Stock
8.9.44

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
8.7.44
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to ...

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No 22-1-5 Dec. 15/43 dated May, 1944.

FORM No. I.A. 506
Req. 1876

Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER NO. 123

DATE July 6, 1944.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

SEP 1 194

Parry Sound, Ont.,
August 30, 1944.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I request your authority to purchase the following for the Gibson Day School:

6 lights glass 10 x 12
2 Brooms
1 Water pail.

Samuel Devlin
Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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22-1-5

Ottawa,
September 1, 1944.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

With reference to your letter of the 30th ultimo, the Department approves the purchase of the following articles for use at the Gibson Day School:

6 Lights glass 10 x 12
2 Brooms
1 Water pail

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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PARRY SOUND, ONT., Oct. 31 1944

M Department of Indian Affairs.

Gibson School

IN ACCOUNT WITH

THE WILLIAM BEATTY COMPANY, LIMITED

HARDWARE FURNITURE CROCKERY

MEN'S WEAR COAL & WOOD

ESTABLISHED 1863

INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

Oct.	4	1 only Bench Screw	1.80	
		1 case Paper Towels	3.60	
				5.40

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE NO.....

DATE.....

Pay to.....The William Beatty Company, Ltd.,.....

Address.....Parry Sound, Ontario.....

.....

.....

DATE 1944		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Oct.	4	Materials supplied to Gibson Indian Day		
		School.	5	40

EX'D
A.

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
4.11.44
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Department to use.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 22-1-11 dated Sept. 19/44

Samuel Devlin
Agent

FORM No. I.A. 506
Req. 1876

VOUCHER NO. 253

DATE November 1, 1944.

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22-1-5

Requisition for School Material

#5

Date Jan. 8 1945

For Gibson Day School Parry Sound. Agency

NOTE:—

To avoid delay, teachers should give full particulars regarding each article required.

The name, series, number of grade, and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

When ordering kindergarten material, the catalogue number of some well known firm should be given for each article required.

Only one item should be specified on each line of this requisition and no entry should be made under heading "Number Authorized".

ARTICLES	NUMBER ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NUMBER REQUIRED	NUMBER AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
Coleman Gas Lamps	0		4		This winter thus far has been a very dark one in the school. The first 2 hours each morning it has been impossible to do board work and very hard to do book work also. Proper lighting would help. The children have nothing to drink with their noon lunches. It was thought cocoa would help warm them up and also help them in heat. Sugar will be supplied by the pupils.
15 lbs. Cocoa	0		15 lbs.		
2 c/s. Canned milk	0		2 cases		
1 tea kettle	0		1		
1 saucepan	0		1		

N.B.—Explicit information regarding address must be furnished.

Name J.O. Harris

School Gibson Day

Post Office (nearest) Sahanotich

Express Office (nearest) Bala C.P.R.

Province Ontario

J.O. Harris
Teacher

I Hereby Certify that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial Schools.

Samuel Devlin
Indian Agent

FORM No. I.A. 413
R. 9777

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ACCOUNT NO.

LETTER	FOLIO

Bala, May 194--

M.r. S. Devlin

Gibson Day School

In Account With **J. W. BURGESS LIMITED**

GENERAL MERCHANT

BALA . ONTARIO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

TO ACCOUNT RENDERED

May 16

10	pks. Carrot Seed @ 10¢	1	00		
10	pks. Lettuce " @ 10¢	1	00		
1	pk. Cucumber " @ 10¢		10		
				2	10

This is the itemized statement of the seeds purchased May 16, as was requested in your letter of July 12th.

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EX'D.

Ottawa, January 15, 1945.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.

With reference to requisition of the 8th instant, you may purchase the following:-

15 lbs. of Cocoa,
2 cases Canned Milk
1 Tea kettle
1 Saucepan

in order to allow the teacher to supply a midday meal at the Gibson Indian Day School.

I doubt the necessity for supplying 4 Coleman Gas Lamps. Possibly two would be sufficient. However, the matter is left to your decision. As far as I know, the condition of which the teacher complains is a temporary one, and in the event of Coleman lamps being purchased, they should be very carefully stored when they are not in use, in order that they might be available when required.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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ACCOUNT NO.

LETTER	FOLIO

Bala, December 1944

Mr. S. Devlin
Gibson Day School

In Account With **J. W. BURGESS LIMITED**

GENERAL MERCHANT
BALA - ONTARIO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

		TO ACCOUNT RENDERED				
Sept	5	40 Rolls Toilet Tissue @ 6 ¼¢	2	50	2	50
Dec.	19					
	3	pr. Hinges @ 10¢		30		
	2	doz. Screws 7/8 x 7		12		
	1	gross 1¼ x 8 Screws		65		
	2	gate hooks		05		
	2	" hooks		02	1	14
Dec.	20					
	9	yds. unbleached cotton @ 25¢	2	25	2	25
		Total			5	89

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

FORM No. I.A. 506A

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to J. W. Burgess,

Address Bala, Ontario.

DATE 1944		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Dec.	20	Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School. EX'D.	5	89

DUPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to rev.

14-2-45

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 22-1-11 dated Sept. 19/44

Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 368

DATE February 12, 1945.

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STATEMENT

JOHN PERKS

The Quality Grocer

TELEPHONE 24

PARRY SOUND, Feb'y 28th., 1945
ONTARIO

Sold to Dep't of Indian Affairs,
Parry Sound Ont., "Gibson School"

ADDRESS

8 per cent charged on past due accounts — Accounts due when rendered

Feb	3 -	45. 1.5 cne lb Cocoa 250	3 75	
		2 C/s milk 4.75	9 50	13 25

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FORM No. I.A. 506A

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No.....

Date.....

Pay to John Perks,

Address Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE 1945		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Feb.	3	Cocoa and Milk for Gibson Indian Day School	13	25

8.3.45

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 22-1-5 dated Jan. 15/45

Samuel Devlin

Agent

VOUCHER No. 396

DATE March 6, 1945.

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Parry Sound, March 31, 1945 194

M ...artment of Indian Affairs

ACCOUNT NO.

Gibson School

BOUGHT OF **The William Beatty Company,** LIMITED

HARDWARE, FURNITURE, HOUSE FURNISHINGS

— MEN'S WEAR —

DATE	ARTICLES		FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Mar. 31	5 lbs. 2½" Nails	@ .06 lb.			.30	
	3 " 4 " "	.06 "			.18	
					.48	

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No.....

DATE.....

Pay to The William Beatty Company Ltd.,

Address Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE 1945		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Mar.	31	Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School.		48

6.4.45

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 22-1-4 dated Nov. 1/44

Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 4

DATE April 4, 1945.

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Bought of **FRANCIS W. HOLT**

DEALER IN

Groceries, Flour & Feed, Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes

RUBBERS AND HARDWARE

Torrance, Dec 15 1935

M Gibson Day School

Terms Cash or Trade

1	Amount Previously Rendered		
2	2 Brooms	1	50
3	6 Glass 10x12		72
4			
5		2	22
6			
7			
8			
9	J. O. Harris		
10			
11	Gibson Reserve		
12	19		
13			
14			
45			

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R. 2147

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CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to N. B. McColeman,

Address TORRANCE, Ontario.

DATE 1945		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Dec.	18	Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School.	2	22

11-5-45

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 22-1-5 dated Sept. 1/44

Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 39

DATE May 7, 1945.

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File No. 22-1-5

MEMO.

CREDIT ADVICE

July 16th, 1945.

The following remittance has been received from

Indian Agent Samuel Devlin Parry Sound Agency

and recorded in the Official Cash Book Folio 102

Amount $ 12.00

Agency Receipt No. S. 37479 and 37480 dated July 9th, 1945,

Payer W. Litchfield on account of Use of Moose Point School as polling station, June 11th, 1945, also Gibson School - Revenue 112.

Department of Indian Affairs
JUL 25 1945
Ottawa

For Treasury Branch.

C. T. 231
5M—4-12-43

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Lower French School.

Repairs to verandah and windows — Material and Labour — $16.00

Parry Island School

Repairs to desks and windows — Material and Labour — $ 8.00

Shawanaga School

Repairs to front verandah	Material	15.00	
	Labour	10.00 —	
Cleaning Well		5.00 —	
Teachers Residence			
Wall board for ceiling, living room		7.00	
Moulding		1.50	
Paint		3.00	
Nails		2.00	
Labour		20.00 —	$63.50

labr = 35-
mat = 28.50

Gibson School

Building cement steps in front of school — Material and Labour — $30.00

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CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
July 30, 1945.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
AUG 1 1945
REGISTERED

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I request your authority for expenditures for casual repairs to the various day schools in this Agency as per attached schedule.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

Enc.

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22-1-5

Ottawa, August 1st, 1945.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ontario.

With reference to your letter of the 30th ultimo, the Department approves an expenditure of $30.00 for material and labour for building cement steps at the Gibson Day School.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
August 6, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

Authority is requested for the purchase of the following materials for the Gibson Day School.

6 Lights Glass 10 x 12
2 lbs. Putty
2 Brooms
6 Bars Laundry Soap
12 Bars Lifebuay Soap
1 Water Pail.

Samuel Devlin
Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

Department of Mines & Resources
AUG 8 1945
REGISTERED

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File: 22-1-5

Ottawa, 9th August, 1945.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sount, Ontario.

With reference to your letter of the 6th instant, you may purchase the following articles for use at Gibson Day School:

6 Lights Glass 10 x 12
2 lbs. Putty
2 Brooms
6 Bars Laundry Soap
12 Bars Lifebuoy Soap
1 Water Pail

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
October 6, 1945.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

OCT 9 1945
REGISTERED

Authority is requested for the purchase of the following for the Gibson Day School.

1 set door knobs
1 hasp
1 padlock
Paper towels
Toilet Tissue.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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File: 22-1-5

Ottawa, 11th October, 1945.

Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ontario.

With reference to your letter of the 6th instant, you may purchase the following articles for use at the Gibson Indian Day School:

1 set Door Knobs
1 Hasp
1 Padlock
Paper Towels
Toilet Tissue.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Parry Sound, November 30, 194 5

M Dep[illegible]ndent of Indian Affairs.

ACCOUNT NO.

Hale School

BOUGHT OF **The William Beatty Company,** LIMITED

HARDWARE, FURNITURE, HOUSE FURNISHINGS

= MEN'S WEAR =

DATE	ARTICLES	FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Nov. 16	1 only Enamel Pail			1.40	
	12 bars Lifebouy Soap @ .06			.72	
	6 " Laundry Soap .07			.42	
	1 only Bush Broom			2.85	
	24 rolls Paper Towels .15			3.60	
	24 " Toilet Tissue 3 for .25			2.00	
				10.99	

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form R. 2147

TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No. .....

Date .....

Pay to William Beatty Company Ltd.,

Address Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE 1945		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Nov.	16	supplies for Gibson Indian Day School	10	99

393-16-02-289
6-12-45

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE
Voucher in duplicate attached
for Accountant's use

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Department Letter, File No 22-1-5 dated Aug. 9/43 Oct. 11/45

Samuel Stevens
Agent

VOUCHER No. 279

DATE December 4, 1945.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Department of Mines & Resources
Ind. Affairs Branch
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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
January 17, 1946.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

Authority is requested for the purchase of 10 lbs. of cocoa and 1 case of milk to supply hot noon meals for the children attending Gibson Day School.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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File: 22-1-5

Ottawa, 22nd January, 1946.

Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ontario.

With reference to your letter of the 17th instant, you may purchase 10 lbs of cocoa and 1 case of milk for midday meals at the Gibson Indian Day School.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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105. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY. 105.

Form

CAR INITIALS AND NUMBER	LOADING No.	DATE	WAYBILL No.
CP		JAN 25TH46	WB 238

TO STATION	PROVINCE OR STATE	FROM STATION	PROVINCE OR STATE
BALA	ONT	NUMBER (4264 PARRYSOUND	ONT

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ACCOUNT

FREIGHT BILL — PREPAID CHARGES NO.

DEPT&OF JOHN PERKS PARRYSOUND STATION JAN 25TH46

TO CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, DR.

MAKE ALL CHEQUES PAYABLE TO THE ORDER OF THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. FOR CHARGES BILLED PREPAID AS NOTED BEL

FULL NAME OF SHIPPER, AND, FOR C.O.D. SHIPMENTS, THE STREET ADDRESS, ORIGIN AND DATE, ORIGINAL CAR, TRANSFER FREIGHT BILL, AND PREVIOUS WAYBILL REFERENCE AND ROUTING WHEN REBILLED.	CONSIGNEE, ADDRESS, FINAL DESTINATION, ADDITIONAL ROUTING, DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES AND MARKS.	★	WEIGHT	RATE	FREIGHT	ADVANCES	PREPA
JOHN PERKS	DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS C/O ALBERT COMMANDANT						
	1 CASE MILK 1 CASE COCOA		55	M	50		50 CHG

Jan 25/46

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STATEMENT

JOHN PERKS

The Quality Grocer

TELEPHONE 24

PARRY SOUND, February 4th, 1946.
ONTARIO

Sold to Dep't. of Indian Affairs.

ADDRESS Re goods supplied to Albert Commandant.

8 per cent charged on past due accounts

Accounts due when rendered

Jan.25/46	10# Bulk Cocoa @.18¢	1	80	
	1 case St. Chas. Milk	4	75	
	Freight on above		~~75~~ 50	
				$ 7 ~~30~~ 05

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Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 2147

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to John Perks

Address Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE 1946		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Jan.	25	Cocoa and Milk for Gibson Indian Day School	7	05

393-16-02-21

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Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 22-1-5 dated Jan. 22/46

Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 359

DATE February 5, 1946

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ACCOUNT NO.

LETTER	FOLIO

Bala, March 31 1946

Mr. S. Devlin

Gibson Day School

In Account With **J. W. BURGESS LIMITED**

GENERAL MERCHANT

BALA . ONTARIO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

TO ACCOUNT RENDERED

Feb.	14/45			
	1	Broom		98
Mar.	7/45.			
	6	Spools Thread		60
		Bias Tape		15
Oct.	4/45			
		Soap		80
		Laundry Soap		42
Oct.	5/45			
	2	Pails		80
	2	lbs. Putty		20
	6	Panes Glass		84
		Total	$ 4	79

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TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to J. W. Burgess,

Address Bala, Ontario.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1946	Supplies for Gibson Reserve Day School		
	Feb. /45 to Oct./45.	4	79

393-16-02-289
23-3-46

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for Accountant to pay.

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Samuel Dillon
Agent

VOUCHER No. 418

DATE March 20, 1946.

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DEPARTMENT
OF
MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
April 8, 1946.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
APR 10 1946
Ottawa

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I request your authority for the undernoted expenditure to erect two new toilets at the Gibson Day School. A recent inspection of the buildings there with a view to having them repaired has convinced me that they are in such poor shape structurally that the only solution is to have new buildings.

Cost:-

Material	$52.00
Labour	60.00

Both material and labour can be obtained locally.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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22-1-5

Ottawa, April 12, 1946.

Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

With reference to your letter of the 8th instant, the Department approves an expenditure of $112.00 for material and labour in erecting new toilets at the Gibson Indian Day School.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
April 15, 1946.

Department of Mines and Resources
APR 17 1946
REGISTERED

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

It has been suggested to me by Mr. Arneil that I apply for a small standing Agency advance of say $25.00 to take care of minor school repairs, etc. which crop up from time to time, since this would entail less bookkeeping and be much more convenient than having me apply in each instance for trifling advances.

Samuel Devlin
Indian Agent.

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. NO.

FILE NO. 22-1-5

TREAS. NO.

DEPARTMENT MINES & RESOURCES

BRANCH INDIAN AFFAIRS DATE April 20, 1946.

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:—

CHEQUE NO.	IN FAVOUR OF 1946-47	AMOUNT
	Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account ----------$25.	00
	Send cheque to: Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ont.	

STATE BELOW, WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (*a*) STANDING ADVANCE, (*b*) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY—ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (*c*) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (*d*) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Accountable Cheque - to pay for Labour for Repairs at Indian Day Schools, Parry Sound Agency

CHARGE TO
VOTE 76 ENC. NO.
ALLOTMENT
SUB-ALLOTMENT 10-691

I CERTIFY THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

HEAD OF BRANCH

TREASURY OFFICE APPROVAL

DEPUTY HEAD

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CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ontario
July 19, 1946

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUL 22 1946
REGISTERED

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario

I request your authority for the following School renovations and repairs:

Gibson Day School

Paint etc.,	25.00
Cement	6.00
Labour (Indian)	75.00
	$106.00

Shawanaga Day School

Paint etc.,	30.00
Labour (Indian)	60.00
	$90.00

In explanation of the above I might say that some of these jobs have been put off for several years due to war conditions but I believe I can get them completed this year during the summer holidays. A part of the cost for the Gibson Day School is for cement steps for the school entrance. this was requisitioned for last year and the expenditure approved but I was unable to get any Indian to do the work.

Samuel Devlin
Samuel Devlin
Indian Agent

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22-1-5 (W.T.1).

Ottawa, July 23, 1946.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ontario.

With reference to your letter of the 19th instant, the Department approves an expenditure of $106.00 for repairs to the Gibson Day School and also the amount of $90.00 for repairs to the Shawanaga Indian Day School.

EX'D.

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. NO.....

FILE NO.....

TREAS. NO.....

DEPARTMENT MINES and RESOURCES.

BRANCH INDIAN AFFAIRS DATE September 6, 1946.

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:—

CHEQUE No.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT
	Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account and send to: Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ontario.	$75. 00

EX'D.

Representative of the Treasury
RECEIVED
SEP 7 1946
INDIAN AFFAIRS.

STATE BELOW, WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (a) STANDING ADVANCE, (b) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY—ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (c) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (d) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Accountable advance for labour for repairing the Gibson Indian Day School No. 393.

CHARGE TO
VOTE 76 ENC. No.....
ALLOTMENT .....
SUB-ALLOTMENT .....

I CERTIFY THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

HEAD OF BRANCH

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Parry Sound, August 31 194 6

M Department of Indian Affairs

ACCOUNT NO.

Mr. Christopher White, Bala

BOUGHT OF **The William Beatty Company,** LIMITED

HARDWARE, FURNITURE, HOUSE FURNISHINGS

= MEN'S WEAR =

DATE		ARTICLES		FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Aug.	2	6 bags	Cement 4 for $2.90			4.35	
		4 gal.	Semi Gloss White	04.95		19.80	
		2 qts.	" " "	1.35		2.70	
		1 gal.	#720 Brown			4.65	
		2 qts.	#720 Brown	1.30		2.60	
		1 gal	Turpentine in can			2.20	
						36.30	

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R. 2449

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to The William Beatty Company Ltd.,

Address Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
1946 Aug. 2	Supplies for painting and Repairing Gibson Day School and Shawanaga Day School	36.30 37.95
		74.25

EX'D

9/9/46

VERIFIED. Original documents in duplicate accompanied this account to Ottawa

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Samuel Stevens
Agent

VOUCHER No. 155

DATE September 5, 1946.

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Parry Sound

In acct with Angus Sahanatien

Transport Paint & Cement Bala to Gibson Res. 2 50

For repairs Gibson Day School

Angus Sahanatien

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 2449

TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No. .....

Date .....

Pay to Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account

Address c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent.

CREDIT VOUCHER Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1946 Sept.		Transport Paint and Cement from Bala to		
Aug.	5	Gibson Reserve for repairs to Gibson Day School		
		Angus Sahanatien.	2	50

393 18/9/46

PHILLIPS PRINTING CO. LTD.
VOUCHER in duplicate
for ACCOUNTS to pay

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Letter, File No. ..... dated .....

Samuel Devlin
Agent

Voucher No. 162

Date September 13, 1946.

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22-1-5 (W.T. 1)

Ottawa, 21 September 1946.

EX'D. A.

The King's Printer,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed is an account amounting to $6.84 covering the cost of an advertisement for a teacher in the Globe and Mail, Toronto. We also enclose a copy of the newspaper in which the advertisement appeared.

Please tax the account and return so that payment can be made.

Yours truly,

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE NO. .....

DATE .....

Pay to Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account,

Address c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,

CREDIT VOUCHER Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1946				
Sept.	11	Painting and repairs to Gibson Day School		
		Christopher White.	75	00

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SIMPLICATE FOR FILING
voucher in duplicate detached
for transmittal to auditor

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Letter, File No. 22-5-1 Dated July 23/46

Samuel Devlin
Ag

VOUCHER NO. 190

DATE October 2, 1946.

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Indian affairs Branch
Parry Sound
In a/c with Mrs Julia Nevo

Lumber 6 / 00

Supplies for repairs Gibson Day School

Mrs Julia Nevo

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R. 2449

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account,

Address c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,

CREDIT VOUCHER Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE 1946		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Sept.	27	Lumber supplied for repairs to Gibson Day School		
		Mrs. Julia News.	1	00

EX'D.

C.A.D. A.

393.76.10-691

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.....
Agent

VOUCHER No. 191

DATE October 2, 1946.

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OF
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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
November 20, 1946.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH
NOV 22 1946
REGISTERED

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

On September 17 I sent forward for payment Voucher No. 169 payable to the Globe and Mail, Toronto and covering a "teachers wanted" ad. I am being repeatedly dunned since then by the Globe and Mail for this account. Please advise if there is anything holding up the payment which I may set right.

EX'D.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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ACCOUNT NO.

LETTER	FOLIO

Bala, October 19 1946.

Mr. S. Devlin

Gibson Day School

In Account With **J. W. BURGESS LIMITED**

GENERAL MERCHANT

BALA - ONTARIO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

	TO ACCOUNT RENDERED			
12	Life buOy Soap			84
1	Broom		1	59
	Total	$	2	43

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TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No. .....

Date .....

Pay to J. W. Burgess,

Address Bala, Ontario.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
~~1946~~				
Oct.	19	Supplies for Gibson Day School	2	43

H.B.D.

393
9/12/46

TRIPLICATE RECEIPT will be
voucher in duplicate detached
sent for Accountant to pay.

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Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 252

DATE December 3, 1946.

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DEPARTMENT
OF
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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
December 6, 1946.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

Authority is requested for the purchase of cocoa, milk and sugar for hot lunches at the three schools now operating in this Agency as follows.

Shawanaga School - 10 lbs. cocoa,
15 lbs. sugar
1 case milk

Gibson School 15 lbs sugar
½ case milk

Lower French School
5 lbs. cocoa
½ case milk,
10 lbs. sugar.

Department of [illegible]
Indian Affairs
DEC 9 1946
REGISTRY

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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22-1-5 (W.T. 1)

Ottawa, 11 December 1946.

Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent,
PARRY SOUND, Ontario.

With reference to your letter of the 6th instant, purchase of the undermentioned articles is approved:-

Shawanaga School	(10 lbs. Cocoa -(15 lbs. Sugar (1 case Milk
Gibson School	- (15 lbs. Sugar (½ case Milk
Lower French River	- (5 lbs. Cocoa (½ case Milk (10 lbs. Sugar

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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OF
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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
December 5, 1946.

DEC 7 1946
REGISTERED

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I request an accountable advance of $25.00 to pay for small items of equipment and repairs needed from time to time by the schools in this Agency.

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. NO.

FILE NO. 22-1-5

TREAS. NO.

DEPART MINES & RESOURCES

BRANCH INDIAN AFFAIRS DATE 12 December 1946.

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:—

CHEQUE No.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT
	Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account	$ 25.00
	Send Cheque to:- Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, PARRY SOUND, Ontario.	

B'D.

Representative of the Treasury
RECEIVED
DEC 13 1946
INDIAN AFFAIRS

STATE BELOW, WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (a) STANDING ADVANCE, (b) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY—ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (c) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (d) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Accountable advance for labour for repairs at the Ryerson School (No. 423)

CHARGE TO { VOTE ..... ENC. No. .....
ALLOTMENT .....
SUB-ALLOTMENT .....

I CERTIFY THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

HEAD OF BRANCH

TREASURY OFFICE APPROVAL

DEPUTY HEAD

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PHONE 24

Kerr Bros

JOHN PERKS

THE QUALITY GROCER

Parry Sound, Ont., Dec 16 1946

Sold to Dennison Mines
Skaramaga. Ont

	for Skaramaga Reserve School		
10	lb crem	1	50
15	lb Sugar	1	20
1	case Kitt	5	76
6	Laundry Soap		39
		8	85
	Freight	1	00
		9.	85

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NORTH STAR PUBLISHING COMPANY

JUST PHONE US FOR PROMPT SERVICE

PHONE 24

Kerr Bros

JOHN PERKS

THE QUALITY GROCER

Parry Sound, Ont., Dec 16 1946

Sold to James E Hammel
Bala Ont

	for Gibson Reserve School		
15	lb sugar	1	20
½	case milk	2	88
		4	08
	C.P.R.		
	Freight		75
		4.	83

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Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 2449

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to Kerr Bros.

Address Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
1946 Dec. 16	Cocoa, milk and sugar for Shawanaga and Gibson Day Schools.	14 68

E & O.E.

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for Accountant to mark.

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Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 266

DATE December 17, 1946.

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NAME DEPT. OF MINES & RESOURCES

ADDRESS SAMUEL DEVLIN INDIAN AGENT

PARRY SOUND ONT.

FOLIO NO. 5373-34 TELEPHONE E.B'D.

S.O.P. V.O.P. CLERK MAIL COUNTER SALESMAN TIME DO AUTHORIZED BY

INSERTION DATES AUG. 17 19 20 21 22 23 24 26 27 28 29 30 1946

DATE	WORDS	TIMES	RATE	CLASSIFICATION	CHARGE	CASH
	19	12	3	TEACHERS WTD	6 84	

DUPLICATE

MSH

Examined and Recorded ..... D.K

Checked .....

Prices fair and just

393

DUPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher [illegible] 47

[illegible] attached to pay.

THIS ACCOUNT MAY BE PAID AT ANY BRANCH OF THE DOMINION BANK IN TORONTO

Or If Remitting Direct Send Cheque, Money Order Or Registered Letter.

Controller of Purchases

TERMS CASH - 10 DAYS

PLEASE RETURN THIS ACCOUNT WITH YOUR REMITTANCE. ◇

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Feb. 12/47

Dept. of [redacted]dian Affairs,
[redacted]rry Sound, Ontario.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

J. E. Hummel
Sahanatien, Ont.

Freight charges paid on box of books from Hamilton for Gibson Reserve Day School	$1.20

Rec'd Payment James E. Hummel

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 2753

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account,

Address c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,

Parry Sound, Ontario.

CREDIT VOUCHER

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1947 Mar.	Freight paid by J. E. Hummel on box of books for Gibson Day School.	1	20

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27/3/47

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for Accountant to pay.

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Letter, File No. ..... dated .....

Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 122

DATE March 24, 1947

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Credit Advice

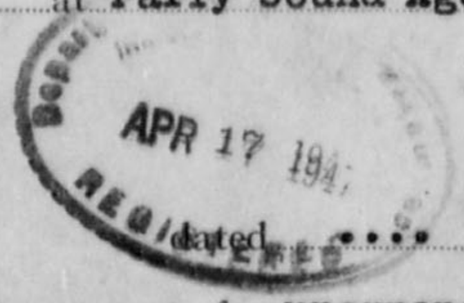
EX'D

April 2nd, 1947.

The following remittance has been received from

Indian Agent Samuel Devlin at Parry Sound Agency

and recorded in the Official Cash Book. Folio 4



Amount $ 7.76

Agency Receipt No. .... dated ....

Payer on account of unexpended balance advance for School repairs - 423-76-10-998.

E. Morgan
For Treasury Branch.

C. T. 231
2500—11-12-45

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
May 8, 1947.

Department of Mines and Resources
MAY 10 1947
Indian Affairs Branch

Chief Treasury Officer,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ontario.

File No. 1-4-3.

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 7 with reference to cheque No. 12592 for $1.20 which was received and cashed by myself. It is possible that this amound should have been a charge against standing advance for school repairs. A credit voucher, No. 122 for this amount was sent forward on March 24 as freight paid on books for the Gibson School.

I am depositing in the Agency Trust Account $1.20 which will go forward with the next Receiver General payment.

TREASURY OFFICE
RECEIVED
MAY 10 1947
INDIAN AFFAIRS

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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Requisition for School Material

Date June 27, *19* 47

For Gibson Indian Day *School* Parry Sound *Agency*

NOTE:—

To avoid delay, teachers should give full particulars regarding each article required.

The name, series, number of grade, and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

When ordering kindergarten material, the catalogue number of some well known firm should be given for each article required.

Only one item should be specified on each line of this requisition and no entry should be made under heading "Number Authorized".

ARTICLES	NUMBER ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NUMBER REQUIRED	NUMBER AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
Desks (Large)			3		
Desks (Small)			4		
Blackboard (Size 22 feet 8 inches by 4 feet.)					

N.B.—Explicit information regarding address must be furnished.

Name James E. Hummel,

School Gibson Indian Day,

Post Office (nearest) Sahanatien, Ont.

Express Office (nearest) Bala, Ont. C.P.R.

Province Ontario.

James E. Hummel.
Teacher

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial Schools.

Samuel Devlin
Indian Agent

FORM No. I.A. 413
R. 2900

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R 2792

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Requisition No.

Order No. EX-D.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

July 7th, 1947

To the Departmental Purchasing Agent, Ottawa, (File: 22-1-5)

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES FOR USE OF

VOTE 516 ALLOTMENT 12-415 ALLOCATION SYMBOLS

SHIP TO Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Bala, Ontario.
(via C.P.R.)

Purpose for which required Gibson Indian Day School.

QUANTITY		UNIT PRICE	TOTAL
3	Desks, large		
4	Desks, small		
	(While the desks should be shipped as above, account should be forwarded to Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ontario)		

P.O. 21042 d/July 9/47.
Blue slip mailed agent
11/7/47
KBB

I hereby certify that I have personal knowledge that all the above articles are required in the Department and for Departmental purposes only. The expenditure required by this requisition is strictly unavoidable and the public interest will suffer if it is not made.

SIGNED—

APPROVED—

Director

NOTE:— 1. In ordering stationery and printed matter use separate sheets.
2. Order numbered forms by number or send sample.
3. Orders for unnumbered forms should be accompanied by samples.
4. Orders for books should be accompanied by sample pages or folios.
5. Orders for which purchase orders will issue should give as full details as possible for each item.
All Requisitions should be submitted in duplicate. One copy will be returned as acknowledgment.

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Gibson Day School Repairs

Fence around School grounds	22.40
Wire fencing 40 rods @ .56¢ per rod.	12.65
Posts - 53 @ .25¢ each	2.26
Staples 30 lbs.	50.00
Labour	
	87.31
Foundation School Building	
Material, cement, etc.	6.00
Labour	30.00
New Toilets	
Material	180.00
Labour	96.00
Transportation	10.00
Repairs to School Interior, changing and enlarging blackboard space	
Material and Labour	15.00
	$424.31

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Parry Spund, Ont.
July 10th, 1947.

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Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I am enclosing estimates of repairs necessary to the various schools in this Agency. Some of these estimates may appear high but the fact is that various repairs which were put off during the war years have accumulated.

The largest amount is for the Gibson Day School, the bulk of which is for fencing the school grounds and the erection of two new toilets. Authority was granted last year for these toilets to the amount of $112.00. I was unable to proceed with the work last year due to both the shortage of material and labour. I propose, if possible, to have it done this summer but a review of the situation shows the costs to be considerably increased due to prices of both material and labour.

I would be glad to have these costs for the various schools passed if at all possible but should it not be possible to pass on the amounts requested because of non-inclusion in the estimates, you might indicate what amounts would be available for expenditure on the various schools and I will have as much as possible completed this year and the balance next year. Your prompt attention to this will be appreciated as I would like to have the work completed during the summer holidays.

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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EXD.

Ottawa, July 15th, 1947.

Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

With reference to your letter of the 10th instant, the Department will allow an amount of $337.00 for material and labour in making necessary repairs at the Gibson Day School.

This does not provide the amount requested for fencing the school grounds. We thought that this could be left in abeyance for another year.

Bernard F. Neary
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

PP/MGD

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Sold to **Department of Mines and Resources,**
OTTAWA, Ont.

Ship to **Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,**

Shipping Point **BALA, Ont.**

Post Office

Ship by **C.P.R.Freight prepaid**

Our Order No. **3517**

Customers Order No. **21042**

Date Sold **July 14/47**

Salesman **Letter**

Terms **30 days net**

F O.B. **Delivered-Bala**

When Ship **At once**

QUANTITY	√		PRICE	AMOUNT
3		# 1 Model W Chair Desks		
4		# 5 " W " "		
		Fed. sales tax included		
		prepaid		

4 copies of invoice to Mr.Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent
Parry Sound, Ont.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUL 17 1947
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NOTICE

This acknowledges your order as entered by us and for which we thank you

If there is any error or omission please notify us at once

FORM No. 13-30M-10-45

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

PURCHASE ORDER

NO. 21042
THIS ORDER NO. TO APPEAR ON ALL PACKAGES AND INVOICES.

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OK/GS OTTAWA July 9th, 1947. FILE NO. 73943-15-30

TO Vlieg Furniture Company,
Commerville, Quebec.

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS AND CHARGE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES.

SHIP TO Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Dale, Ontario.
Via C.P.R.

F.O.B. Dale, Ontario. QUOTATION OF 29/7/47

RENDER A SEPARATE INVOICE FOR EACH ORDER AND SEND 4 COPIES AFTER SHIPMENT

F.W.D.
A.

TO - [redacted] -
Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ontario.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL
3	Desks, large Model W No. 2	15.40	46.20
4	Desks, small " " No. 5	14.50	58.00
			$104.20

Training Division
VR 268
AUG 5 1947
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines and Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUL 18 1947
REGISTERED

VOTE	PRIMARY	OBJECT	ENCUMB. NO.
536	32	435	

CERTIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 29 OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE AND AUDIT ACT 1931.

FOR COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY.

DELIVERY REQUIRED BY

as soon as possible -

PURCHASING AGENT

R 2622

TO BE RETURNED TO HEAD OF BRANCH

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Gibson Reserve,
July 28, 1947.

Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Albert Commandant,
Sahanatien, Ontario.

Transportation, Bala to Gibson Reserve,
7 desks for Gibson Day School. $5.00

22-1-5

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 3187

TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No. .....

Date .....

Pay to Albert Commandant,

Address Sahanatien, Ontario.

DATE 1947		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
July	28	Transporting 7 desks from Bala to Gibson Day School.	5	00

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT AUG 7 1947 Treasury Office I. A. BRANCH

Training Division AUG 5 1947 Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines & Resources Indian Affairs Branch AUG 5 1947 REGISTERED

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. ..... dated .....

Samuel Devlin
Agent

Voucher No. 269

Date August 2, 1947.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 3187

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to Vilas Furniture Company, Ltd.,

Address Cowansville, Que.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
~~1947~~ July	22	Desks for Gibson Reserve Day School.	104	20

AUDITED FOR PAYMENT AUG 6 1947 ACCOUNTS BRANCH DEPT. INDIAN AFFAIRS

Department of Mines & Resources Indian Affairs Branch AUG 5 1947 REGISTERED

Training Division AUG 5 1947 Indian Affairs Br.

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Samuel Stevens

Letter, File No. Order 21042 dated .....

VOUCHER No. 268

DATE August 2, 1947.

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VILAS FURNITURE COMPANY,
LIMITED

COWANSVILLE, QUE. July 22 19 47

PRODUCTS
—
School Furniture
Household Furniture
—
TELEPHONE 58

SOLD TO Department of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ont.

Terms: 30 days net Your Order No. 21042 Our Order No. 3517 Shipped Via CPR.Frt.Ppd.

3	No. 1 Model W C hair Desks	15.40	46.20
4	No. 5 " W " "	14.50	58.00
			104.20

Fed. sales tax inc.

Prepaid

Shipped to:- Mr. Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,
BALA, Ont.

NO CLAIM ALLOWED UNLESS MADE WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF GOODS

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TELEPHONE 116

PROSPECT STREET

PARRY SOUND, August 13 1947
ONTARIO

M :Dep[illegible]ment Of Indian Affairs,

Parry Sound, Ont.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

C. F. JACKLIN

DEALER IN

LUMBER, WOOD, LIVE STOCK, FARM PRODUCTS

Retail Lumber and Planing Mill

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED

7 PER CENT INTEREST CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

400' Bm. Ix6 pine sdg. @90.00	$36.00
160' Bm. Ix4 V-Jt. @ $85.00	13.60
2 Sqs. 2 in I Killarney asphalt shingles @$8.50	17.00
	$66.60
FREIGHT PREPAID	3.79
	$ 70.39

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 3187

TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No. .....

Date .....

Pay to C. F. Jacklin,

Address Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE 1947		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Aug.	13	Lumber and shingles for repairs to Gibson Day		
		School.	70	39

EX'D.
A.

Training Division
SEP 1 1947
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
AUG 28 1947

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Samuel Devlin
Agent

Voucher No. 292

Date August 26, 1947.

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OFFICE OF THE INDIAN AGENT

CANADA
DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH
SEP 2 1947
REGISTERED

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
August 29, 1947.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I request an accountable advance of $350.00 to pay wages for repairs to the various schools in the Agency.

OK

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Agent.

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. NO.....

FILE NO.....

TREAS. NO.....

DEPARTMENT MINES & RESOURCES

BRANCH INDIAN AFFAIRS DATE September 4,1947.

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:—

CHEQUE No.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT
	Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account and send to: Mr. S. Devlin, Indian Agent, Parry Sound, Ontario.	$350. 00

EXD A.G.

STATE BELOW, WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (a) STANDING ADVANCE, (b) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY—ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (c) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (d) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Accountable advance for repairs to the Gibson Day School.

CHARGE TO
VOTE 516 ENC. No.....
ALLOTMENT 10-691
SUB-ALLOTMENT.....

I CERTIFY THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

HEAD OF BRANCH

TREASURY OFFICE APPROVAL

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Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Parry Sound, Ontario.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Jeffrey News,
Gibson Reserve.

Trucking service, supplies for Gibson School and materials for building new toilets.

9 hrs. @ 1.75 per hr.	$15.75

Rec'd Payment... Jeffrey.... News....

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 3187

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account,

Address c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,

CREDIT VOUCHER Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE 1947		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Sept.	11	Trucking service, Jeffrey News, Supplies for Gibson School and materials for building new toilets	15	75

Training Division
SEP 25 1947
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch.
SEP 18 1947
REGISTERED

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Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 320

DATE September 15, 1947.

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

PURCHASE ORDER 22-1-54

NO. 23083
THIS ORDER NO. TO APPEAR ON ALL PACKAGES AND INVOICES.

OTTAWA Sept. 23/47 FILE NO. 15-3 Ont.

TO A.Weismiller & Sons,
Hals, Ont.

PLEASE FURNISH THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS AND CHARGE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES.

SHIP TO - Received -

F.O.B. QUOTATION OF

RENDER A SEPARATE INVOICE FOR EACH ORDER AND SEND COPIES AFTER SHIPMENT

TO - Received -

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT	TOTAL
	Purchased by Indian Agent Devlin for Gibson Day School		
	Lumber for repairs		$119.84
	As per invoice dated Aug. 31/47		
	Voucher No. 315		

Training Division SEP 29 1947 Indian Affairs Br.
DR. 315 KB

Department of Mines & Resources Indian Affairs Branch. SEP 26 1947 REGISTERED

VOTE	PRIMARY	OBJECT	ENCUMB. NO.
516	10	691	

CERTIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 29 OF THE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE AND AUDIT ACT 1931.

FOR COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY.

DELIVERY REQUIRED BY

PURCHASING AGENT

2622

TO BE RETURNED TO HEAD OF BRANCH

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BALA, ONTARIO August 31/47 194

M Indian Affairs Branch,

c/o Samuel Devlin, Parry Sound, Ont.

A. WEISMILLER & SONS

LUMBER & FUEL

BUILDING MATERIALS

TERMS:

DATE	QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT
Aug 7	410	Lin. 2x4" #10cm. Cedar D4S	273	35.00	25.94
	183	FBM. 1x4" #10cm. " "	183	79.00	14.46
	550	" 1x6" " " "	550	83.00	45.65
	267	" 1x10" " " "	267	85.00	22.70
	36	Lin. 1x8" " Pine "	36L	7¼¢	2.61
	36	" 1x10" " " "	36L	10½¢	3.78
	2	Rolls Standard Scutan Paper	2	2.35	4.70
				$	119.84

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R. 3187

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to ..... A. Weismiller & Sons, ...

Address ..... Bala, Ontario. .....

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1947				
Aug.	31	Lumber for repairs to Gibson Day School.	119	84

Training Division
SEP 29 1947
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Indian Affairs
SEP 15 1947
REGISTERED

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Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 315

DATE September 11, 1947.

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22-1-5 (WT 1)

EX'D.
A.

Ottawa, September 22nd, 1947.

Memorandum:

DEPARTMENTAL PURCHASING AGENT

I enclose account amounting to $119.84 covering the cost of materials purchased for emergency repairs to the Gibson Day School.

Please issue purchase order so that the account may be paid. Coding is as follows: 516-393-10-691.

PP

Bernard F. Neary
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

PP/MGD

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H.Q'D.

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BALA, ONTARIO ~~September 30/47~~ 194

M ~~Indian Affairs Branch,~~

~~c/o Samuel Devlin, Parry Sound, Ontario.~~

A. WEISMILLER & SONS

LUMBER & FUEL

BUILDING MATERIALS

TERMS:

DATE		QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	FEET	PRICE	AMOUNT
Sep	9	20	pcs. 2x4-12' Mer. Hemlock D4S (from 2x8's)	160	78.00	12.48
			Delivery			2.50
						$ 14.98

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 3187

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to A. Weismiller & Sons,

Address Bala, Ontario.

DATE 1947	SERVICE	AMOUNT
Sept. 9	Lumber for repairs to Gibson Indian Day School.	14 98

Training Division
OCT 17 1947
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
OCT 17 1947
REGISTERED

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Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 376

DATE October 15, 1947.

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Form No. I.A. 702
Regn. No. 2750

RETURN OF LABOUR on the School Repairs on Gibson Reserve

for week ending October 4, 1947

NAMES	Nature of Employment or Trade / Number of Horses	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	TOTAL	PRICE PER	AMOUNT OF WAGES	RECEIVED PAYMENT	WITNESS
James News	Carpenter	-		142 hrs.					65	92 30	James News	
Isaiah Sahanatien	Labourer		---	40 hrs.	0				60	24 00	Isaiah Sahanatien	
										116 30		

Cheque No. ..... Vote ..... Agency .....

Balance ..... Allotment ..... E.R. .....

..... FOREMAN Payment Approved ....

I hereby certify that the services have been performed, materials supplied and prices are fair and just.

Samuel Devlin
..... AGENT

22-1-5

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 3187

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

PAID

Pay to Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account,

Address c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,

CREDIT VOUCHER Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE 1947		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Oct.	10	Wages for repairs to Gibson Indian Day School.	116	30

Training Division
OCT 17 1947
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
OCT 16 1947
REGISTERED

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Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 371

DATE October 14, 1947.

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Parry Sound, October 31 1947

M Department of Indian Affairs

ACCOUNT NO.

Gibson School

BOUGHT OF **The William Beatty Company,** LIMITED

HARDWARE, FURNITURE, HOUSE FURNISHINGS

= MEN'S WEAR =

DATE	ARTICLES		FOLIO	CREDIT AMOUNT	DEBIT AMOUNT	TOTAL
Oct.29	10 lbs. 2-1/4" Flooring Nails	@	.10		1.00	

COPELAND-CHATTERSON LIMITED BRAMPTON, ONT. 22753-44

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 3524

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TREASURY ONLY

Cheque No. .....

Date .....

Pay to The William Beatty Company Ltd.,

Address Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE 1947		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Oct.	29	Nails for repairs to Gibson Indian Day School	1	00

EX'D.
A.

Training Division
NOV 6 1947
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines and Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
NOV 5 1947

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Samuel Devlin
Agent

Voucher No. 406

Date November 3, 1947.

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Reqn. No. 2750

RETURN OF LABOUR on the Repairs to School on Gibson Reserve

for week ending November 1, 1947.

NAMES	Nature of Employment or Trade / Number of Horses	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	TOTAL	PRICE PER	AMOUNT OF WAGES	RECEIVED PAYMENT	WITNESS
J. News	Foreman			4	8	8	8	28	65	18 20	J. News Commandant	
Isaiah Sahanatien	Labourer					8	8	16	60	9 60	Isaiah Sahanatien	
WEEK ENDING November 8, 1947.												
J. News	Foreman	8	8		8			24	65	15 60	J. News Commandant	
Isaiah Sahanatien	Labourer	8	8					16	60	9 60	Isaiah Sahanatien	
										53 00		

Cheque No. .....
Balance .....
FOREMAN

Vote .....
Allotment .....
Payment Approved .....

Agency .....
E.R. .....

I hereby certify that the services have been performed, materials supplied, and prices are fair and just.

Samuel Dorion
AGENT

22-1-5

DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A
R. 3524

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. EX'D. M

DATE

Pay to Parry Sound, Indian Agency Trust Account,

Address c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,

CREDIT VOUCHER Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1947				
Nov.	17	Wages for repairs to Gibson Day School.	53	00

Training Division
DEC 23 1947
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines & Resources
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH
DEC 17 1947
REGISTERED

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Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 510

DATE December 11, 1947.

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ACCOUNT NO.

LETTER	FOLIO

Bala, December 1947.

Mr. S. Devlin

Gibson School

In Account With **J. W. BURGESS LIMITED**

GENERAL MERCHANT

BALA . ONTARIO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

		TO ACCOUNT RENDERED			
Aug	15				
	2	tins Dustbane		40	
	18	Enamel Cups	5	40	
	1	" Pail	2	25	
	3	lbs. Putty		30	
	1	Putty Knife		35	
	1	Broom	1	25	
	12	Panes Glass	3	12	
	1	Box 1¾ x 12 F.H. Screws		98	
			$ 14	05	$1405
Aug	19				
	2	panesGlass	2	14	
	1	Soap Dish		45	
	1	Box Screws		50	3 99
		Total Forward			17 14

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ACCOUNT No.

LETTER	FOLIO

Bala, December 1947.

Mr. S. Devlin

Gibson School Supplies

In Account With J. W. BURGESS LIMITED

GENERAL MERCHANT

BALA - ONTARIO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

		TO ACCOUNT RENDERED				
		Forward			17	14
Aug	19	credit on screws				
		1¾ x 12 returned		85		
Aug.	29	~~disc~~				~~50~~
Sept.	5	3 lbs. Nails @ 60¢			1	80
Oct.	14	4 pr. Hinges & Screws			1	00
				85	~~20~~ 19	~~44~~ 94
		Balance Owing 1/8			$ 19	09

Paid Jan 5/48

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

E. Devlin

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 3524

TREASURY ONLY

CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account,

Address c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,

CREDIT VOUCHER Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
1947 Aug.	Materials for repairs - Gibson Indian Day School.	19 09

EX'D.
A.

Training Division
JAN 12
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JAN 10 1948
RECORDS

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just, also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada. This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter, File No. 22-1-5 dated July 15/47

Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 18

DATE January 8, 1948.

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ACCOUNT NO.

LETTER	FOLIO

Bala, December 1947.

Mr. S. Devlin

Gibson School Supplies

In Account With J. W. BURGESS LIMITED

GENERAL MERCHANT

BALA - ONTARIO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

		TO ACCOUNT RENDERED				
Aug.	29					
	6	Bars Toilet Soap		50		
		This is the item not itemized on the account sent to you.				

E. Swan.

Paid Jan 9/48
J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED
E. Swan

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 3524

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CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

Pay to Parry Island Indian Agency Trust Account,

Address c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,

CREDIT VOUCHER Parry Sound, Ontario.

DATE 1947		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
Aug.	29	Soap supplied for Gibson Indian Day School.		50

Training Division
JAN 19 1948
M.-I.
Indian Affairs Br.

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Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JAN 16 1948
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Samuel Devlin
Agent

VOUCHER No. 30

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ACCOUNT NO.

LETTER	FOLIO

Bala, March 194 8

Mr. S. Devlin

Gibson Reserve School

In Account With **J. W. BURGESS LIMITED**

GENERAL MERCHANT

BALA - ONTARIO

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE PAID MONTHLY — EIGHT PER CENT. CHARGED ON OVERDUE ACCOUNTS

TO ACCOUNT RENDERED

Dec	30/47					
	1	Dust Pan		39		
	3	Locks	4	70	5	09
Jan	3/48					
	2	Padlocks	[illegible]	30		
	3	Cakes Soap		25	1	55
		Total			6	64
Jan	3	credit on Padlocks Returned			4	70
		Balance Owing			1	94

Paid April 2/48

J. W. BURGESS, LIMITED

E. Swan

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

Form No. I.A. 506A
R. 3455

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CHEQUE No. .....

DATE .....

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Address c/o Samuel Devlin, Indian Agent,

CREDIT VOUCHER Parry Sound, Ontario.

EX'D.

DATE		SERVICE	AMOUNT	
1948				
Mar.	31	Supplies for Gibson Indian Day School.	1	94

Training Division
APR 7 1948
Indian Affairs Br.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
APR 6 1948
RECORDS

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er, File No. ..... dated .....

Samuel Devlin
Agent

HER No. 190

DATE April 3, 1948.

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File No. 22-1-5

Credit Advice

12157

April 3rd, 1948.

MEMO.

The following remittance has been received from

Indian Agent Samuel Devlin at Parry Sound Agency

and recorded in the Official Cash Book Folio EX'D. M

Amount $ 9.07

Agency Receipt No. .... dated ....

Payer on account of unexpended balance

advance for repairs to Schools - 393-516-10-998.

Department of Mines & Resources Indian Affairs Branch APR 20 1948 P.M. REGISTERED

For Treasury Branch

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MINES AND RESOURCES
INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

16010 PLEASE QUOTE
FILE

Parry Sound, Ont.,
May 4, 1948.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ontario.

I request an accountable advance of $50.00 to cover any necessary purchases of small items for the schools in this Agency, such as cleaning materials, casual repairs, etc.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
MAY 6 1948
A. M.
REGISTERED

Samuel Devlin

Samuel Devlin,
Indian Superintendent.

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REQUISITION FOR CHEQUE

TO BE USED FOR ADVANCES OR AUTHORIZED PAYMENTS FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO ACCOUNTS

DEPT. NO. .....
FILE NO. 22-1-5
TREAS. NO. .....

DEPARTMENT Mines and Resources
BRANCH Indian Affairs DATE May 6, 1948.

APPLICATION IS HEREBY MADE FOR THE ISSUE OF THE FOLLOWING CHEQUE OR CHEQUES:—

CHEQUE NO.	IN FAVOUR OF	AMOUNT
	Parry Sound Indian Agency Trust Account.....	$50.00
	Send cheque to: Mr. Samuel Devlin, Superintendent, Indian Agency, Parry Sound, Ontario.	

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STATE BELOW, WITH DETAILS IN EVERY CASE, WHETHER (a) STANDING ADVANCE, (b) ADVANCE FOR SPECIFIC JOURNEY—ESTIMATING NUMBER OF DAYS, (c) OTHER ACCOUNTABLE ADVANCE, OR (d) AUTHORIZED PAYMENT.

Accountable advance for labour in repairing the Gibson Indian Day School #393.

CHARGE TO
VOTE 516 ENC. No. .....
ALLOTMENT 10-691
SUB-ALLOTMENT .....

I CERTIFY THAT THIS APPLICATION IS MADE UNDER THE REQUISITE AUTHORITY, AND THAT THE EXPENDITURE IS NECESSARY IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

HEAD OF BRANCH

TREASURY OFFICE APPROVAL

DEPUTY HEAD

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Parry Sound Agency

GIBSON SCHOOL

Painting outside

EXTRACT ON

Material	45.00	
Labour	75.00 ✓	$150.00

SHAWANAGA SCHOOL

Repairs to floors, windows and porch

EXTRACT ON 22-6-55

Material	100.00	
Labour	100.00 ✓	$200.00

LOWER FRENCH SCHOOL

Building wood shed and repairs to foundation

EXTRACT ON 22-6-55

Material	80.00	
Labour	75.00 ✓	$155.00

RYERSON DAY SCHOOL

Repairs to kitchen drain

EXTRACT ON 22-6-55

Materials	50.00	
Labour	100.00 ✓	$150.00

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

GIBSON
DAY SCHOOL
BUILDINGS, ACCTS, ETC.

CROSS REFERENCE

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SCHOOL SERVICES

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— INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH —

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SUBJECT GIBSON DAY SCHOOL
BLDGS ACCTS ETC

CORRESPONDENCE FROM NOV 1934

TO MAY 1948

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File 393-5, part 1	Parry Sound Agency - Gibson School - Building Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts. 1898 - 1923
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File 393-5, part 3	Parry Sound Agency - Gibson School - Building Maintenance - Supplies - Accounts. 1934 - 1948
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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

GIBSON

DAY SCHOOL

TEACHER'S RESIDENCE

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Teachers Residence.

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA I8th June I895

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the I2th inst: and in reply I beg to say that the Department will consent to the expenditure of $I00 for the purpose of putting up a dwelling for the teacher of the school on the Gibson Reserve,but it would like you to communicate with Mr Superintendent Walton in regard to this ~~matter~~ and all other matters connected with the Reserve.

Your obedient servant,

Dep Dec.

Acting Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

r Napoleon Commandant,
Gibson Reserve,
Sahanatien P.O.
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SCHOOL BRANCH.

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT OTTAWA I8th June I895

Sir,

I enclose herewith a copy of a letter from Napoleon Cammandant of the Gibson Reserve, in which he states that the Indians wish to put up a house for the teacher of the school on that Reserve, and in connection therewith I beg to say that the Department approves of this proposition and $100 the amount asked for, will be contributed for this purpose, but the Department would like to be furnished with details showing the proposed expenditure and a rough sketch showing what kind of building is to be put up.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

Thos Walton

~~A.McKelvey~~, Esq:
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound
~~Wallaceburgh~~, Ont:

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JUN 25 1895

SCHOOL BRANCH
JUN 25 1895

Edwards

Parry Sound, Ont.,
22nd June 1895

Haytu Reed Esq
~~L. VANKOUGHNET, ESQ.,~~

Deputy Supt. General of Indian Affairs,

Sir,---

Referring to your letter, addressed to me, dated 18th inst., File No. 152,195-5 informing me that your Dept has been informed by Napoleon Commandant of the Gibson Band that the Indians wish to put up a house for their Teacher I beg to say that Napoleon Commandant is only a private member of the Band and not apparently authorized to speak for the Band - that had such a proposition been approved by the Council of the Band I feel certain that Chief Decaire would have communicated with me on the subject and that during my recent visit to the Reserve no one, except the Teacher, mentioned the matter to me.

I strongly suspect that the Teacher inspired the letter of N. Commandant

The building of a Teachers house is a most desirable thing though not as necessary as in most Indian Reserves Seeing that I now know the willingness of your Dept. to contribute $100 towards such erection I beg to recommend that the matter be laid over till after my next visit, which will be next month, by which time I could have learned from the Band how much and what kind of work they give

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I would recommend that the grant be not made till the block of a building 18 × 26 ft in size constructed of hewn pine logs, be raised of a height sufficient to give eight clear feet between the floor and the ceiling. I think that the sum of $100.00 would then finish the building

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
Wm. L. Ballon
Indian Supt

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SCHOOL BRANCH.

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 26th June I895

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd inst: in reference to the application made by Napoleon Commandant of the Gibson Band for a grant towards the erection of a house for the teacher of the school on that Reserve; and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves of your recommendation that the matter be laid over until after your next visit to the Reserve.

Commandant was written to on the I3th instant and informed that all communications for the Department should be forwarded through you.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

Thos Walton,Esq:
Indian Supt:
Parry Sound,Ont:

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SCHOOL BRANCH SEP 23 1895

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Parry Sound, Ont.,

20th Sept 1895

Haystr Reed Esq
~~L. VANKOUGHNET, ESQ.~~,

Deputy Supt. General of Indian Affairs,

Sir,---

Referring to your letter, addressed to me, dated 17th July, File No. 152.194-7 instructing me to see if the Gibson Indians would assist in putting up a small house for a Teachers residence, I beg to say that during my recent visit I learned that a building Committee of three Members of the Band had been appointed. A Site, suitable for the purpose, had been selected on Lot 11 Con V Contiguous to the School House. An opposition was made to purchase the house of the Late Peter Rivers from his Widow, Who has again Married, and to remove it to the Site of the Teachers House. It was thought that the house in question could be bought for $40.00. The Band Consented to raise the removed building as well as to aid in its removal. The balance of the amount asked for would, it was estimated, pay a Contractor for Completing the removed Structure.

I examined the house it was proposed to purchase and found it a substantial well-built log house 20×22 in size and 1½ Story in height. It was floored up and down stairs with very good Lumber. The upstairs joists were hewn timbers about 3×6 and the walls downstairs were lined with very good planed Lumber

I believe that the Structure could be moved, piecemeal,

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with the exception of the Roof which I fear would be injured by removal and would necessitate the reshingling of the New house

If your Department approves the proposal I can write to the widow of Peter Rivers now married to Jos. Smart of the Bay of Quinte Reserve (Shelmsford P.O.) and learn at what price she would dispose of her claim on the house

I explained to the Building Committee that the chief difficulty that I saw in the way of purchasing the structure above mentioned, would be getting some Contractor to accept the responsibility of buying, removing and erecting the house for $100.00, the amount asked for, and which I understand your Dept. will grant. If your Department were to purchase the structure and the Contractor subsequently threw up or failed in his contract the loss of the purchase money would be sustained Perhaps, however, a conditional purchase might be made from Mr. Smart and throw the risk of a default by the Contractor on her. At present the house is of no value whatever to her and if not sold will only rot in the middle of her former husbands' Clearing

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
W. I. Ballou
Indian Supt

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SCHOOL BRANCH

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN S[illegible]

OTTAWA 26th September I895

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th instant with further reference to the erection of a house for the teacher of the Gibson School; and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves of your suggestion to purchase the house of the late Peter Rivers, and to remove it to the site selected for the teacher's dwelling. The cost of the purchase, removal and required repairs should not exceed the amount which the Department is willing to contribute for this purpose, namely $I00.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affs

Thos Walton, Esq:
Indian Supt:
Perry Sound, Ont:

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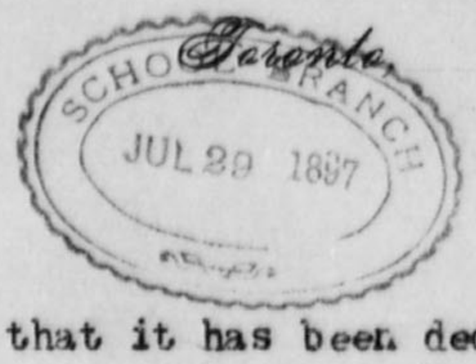
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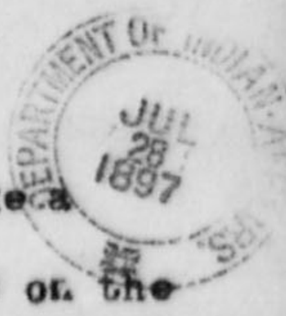
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15-2195-1

(Dictated.)



Toronto, 27th July, 1897.



Sir,-

I have to report that it has been decided to make a change with reference to the school among the Indians on the Gibson Reserve. The services of Miss Hyndman have been discontinued, and it is our intention to send a duly qualified male teacher (a married man) to reside permanently among the Indians. To carry out this project it will be necessary to erect a house for the teacher, and a necessary preliminary will be the setting apart of a site. I will beglad to be informed if this will have to be done as in the case of other Indian Reserves, by setting apart a certain portion of land by resolution in Council, or whether in this case it would have to be obtained from some individual Indian?

I am,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Deputy Super't General of
Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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E.R.

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OTTAWA I5th August I897

Rev:Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th instant,in which you ask that a site may be set apart for the purpose of erecting thereon a house for the teacher of the Gibson Indian school;and in reply I beg to say that if the site selected is the property of the Band,it may be set apart by Resolution of Council;and if it be the property of an individual Indian,his final consent would have to be obtained; but in either case such consent would be subject to the approval of the Department.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

Rev. A S Sutherland,D.D.

Methodist Mission Rooms

Toronto

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IN REPLY REFER TO DATE OF THIS
LETTER, AND ADDRESS
THE [redacted] SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 15 1901

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(Dictated.)

Toronto, 15th Jan., 1901.

Sir,-

When visiting the Indians in the Township of Gibson last autumn I was convinced that for the stability and success of the work both educationally and religiously among them, it was important that we should add an element of permanence by erecting a house in which the missionary-teacher could reside. I talked over the matter with Chief Decaire, and he now informs me that he brought the proposal before the general Council on the 7th inst.. At that meeting Xavier Laforce, whose farm is across the road from the school, agreed to donate half an acre free, and an additional acre and a half on receiving the cost of clearing the land. The two acres to be a site for the proposed mission house. This offer by Laforce was concurred in by the Council'

LAND BRANCH
JAN 17 1901

Ref. to 46
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I now write to enquire if the same regulations obtain at Gibson as on other Indian Reserves; that is, could Laforce give an absolute title to these two acres, or would we have simply a virtual title of occupancy from the Department so long as we used it for the purposes above indicated. We would prefer the absolute title, but of course desire to act in harmony with Departmental regulations.

I am, Sir,
Your Obedient Servant,
A. Sutherland
General Secretary.

The Honorable the
Super't General of
Indians Affairs,
Ottawa.

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152 195/5-

Ottawa 18th January 1901-

Sir-

I beg to inform you that a communication has been received from the Rev.Mr.Sutherland,General Secretary of the Missionary Department of the Methodist Church,in regard to the obtaining of a site on the Gibson Reserve for the erection of a house in which the Missionary Teacher could reside. He states that he talked the matter over with Chief Decaire,who has informed him that he brought the proposal before the General Council on the 7th Instant at which meeting Xavier Laforce,who's Farm is across the road from the School,agreed to donate half an acre free and an additional acre and a half on receiving the cost of clearing the land,the two acres to be a site for the proposed Mission House.

I may state that the Rev.Mr.Sutherland has been advised that it will be necessary for the Department to be furnished with the written consent of Xavier Laforce,with a certified copy of the Resolution of the Band in Council, as well as a description of the property by metes and bounds,sufficient for identification purposes.

Rev.Mr.Sutherland has been referred to you and I shall be pleased to have you assist in obtaining ~~them~~ what is required by the Department.

From the

W.A.D

Your obedient servant

Sch. J.D. McLean

Secretary-

W.B.Maclean,Esq.,

Indian Superintendent,Parry Sound, Ont.

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Ottawa 18th January 1901-

Rev.Sir-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th Instant in regard to the obtaining of a site for the erection of a house as a residence for the Missionary Teacher, on the Gibson Reserve.

In reply,I would say that the Indian Locatee is not in a position to give a title and the Department can only grant a title of occupancy so long as the property is used for Missionary purposes.

Before considering the question of granting the right of occupancy,it would be necessary for the Department to be furnished with the written consent of Xavier Laforce, with a certified copy of the Resolution of the Band in Council as well as a description of the property by metes and bounds sufficient for identification purposes.

I am writing to the local Agent in the matter and possibly it would be advisable for you to communicate with him,Mr.W.B.Maclean,Parry Sound.

Your obedient servant

Sd. J.D.McLean

Secretary-

Rev.A.Sutherland,D.D.,
General Secretary,Methodist Church,
Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto,
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The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

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(Dictated.)

Toronto, 5th June, 1891

Sir,-

Referring to the proposed transfer of a number of Indian schools to the sole control of the Department of Indian Affaibs on the 1st of July next, I beg to submit the following facts in regard to some of them:

1. The school at Gibson has been without a teacher for some time, and we have not been able to secure one whom we could confidently recommend. This has arison partly from the fact that there is no accomodation on the Reserve for an unmarried teacher, and there is no house in which a married teacher could reside. A short time ago one of the Indians, Xavier Laforce, agreed to surrender two acres as a site for a teacher's house; this is on a farm immediately opposite to the school house. Arrangements were made for Mr C.E.Fitten, Land Surveyor, to proceed to Gibson on the 5th of June for the purpose of surveying the two acres, after which a sketch with distances properly marked could be forwarded to the Department. In order that a suitable teacher may be procured for the Gibson Indians, it seems to be not only desirable, but absolutely necessary that a house be erected for him to live in, and I respectfully submit this matter to the Department with the earnest hope that the necessary accomodation will be provided.

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2. It is probable that a change will be made at Alnwick, and I expect to be able to write definitely upon this point in about a week; also in regard to the schools at Christian Island and Naughton.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland

General Sedretary.

The Secretary of the
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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For D.M.'s Consideration
Sgd. Frank Pedley
18/6/1901

Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA, 17th June, 1901.

The Secretary:-

Rev. Dr Sutherland, under date of the 5th inst. writing in reference to the Gibson school calls attention to the difficulty of obtaining a suitable person for the position of teacher on account of their being no house provided or suitable boarding accommodation to be procured on the reserve. The same trouble occurs on most of the Reserves where the Indians wish to employ white teachers and the Department has taken steps to provide suitable accommodation when possible. These Indians, however, have no money and there is no special provision made. If funds were available I should certainly recommend the offer of a site for the dwelling being accepted.

Duncan Campbell Scott

On file 11796.
Sgd. D.C.S.
Sgd. Frank Pedley
Supt. Gen. 5 June 1901
Sgd. Duncan Campbell Scott

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Rev. Bell to
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OTTAWA, 21st June, 1901.

Rev. Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant calling the attention of the Department to the difficulty of obtaining a suitable teacher for the Gibson school owing to there being no dwelling house provided or proper boarding accommodation to be found on the reserve; and in reply I regret to say that the Department has no funds available from which the cost of a teacher's dwelling could, at present, be defrayed.

Encl.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

Rev. A. Sutherland D.D.
Methodist Missionary Society
Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto, Ont.

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THE GENERAL SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 8 1901

Toronto, 5th July, 1901

(Dictated.)

SCHOOLS.
JUL 11 1901

Sir,-

In a communication to the Department, dated June 5th, I called attention to the difficulty of obtaining a suitable teacher for the Indian school at Gibson, Muskoka, on account of their being no dwelling house for the teacher or proper boarding accomodation, and suggested the advisability of a house being provided by the Department.

Under date of June 21st I was informed that there were no funds available from which the cost of a teacher's dwelling could at present be defrayed.

Before the date arrived at which our Indian schools were to be transferred to the control of the Department a plot of two acres had been surrendered by Xavier Laforce as a site for a teacher's dwelling. This plot was duly surveyed by Mr Chas.E.Fitton of Orillia, Land Surveyor, and I beg to enclose herewith the tracing which he supplied. I sincerely hope the Department may be able to utilize this site for the purpose for which it was obtained, and that provision will be made in the coming year's estimates for the necessary outlay.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Honorable the
Super't General of
Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

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Mr. Scott Please see letter & Return out -

M Graham

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The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

SCHOOLS.

AUG 8 1901

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AUG 7 1901

School

Toronto, Aug. 6th, 1901.

Re Gibson Indian School.

Sir,-

As the Department has decided not to re-open the Indian School at Hiawatha, I would respectfully suggest that Mr.J.W. Windsor, who has taught that School for a number of years, be appointed to the Indian School on the Gibson Reserve.

As mentioned in former correspondence with the Department, we have had difficulty in securing suitable Teachers for this School because there is no house for a teacher to live in. A good site having been already secured, it is very desirable a house should be built without delay. If the Department can see its way to include a sufficient sum in the present year's estimates, we would submit plans and, with the consent of the Department, proceed with the erection of the building, taking the chance of being recouped when the grant was passed by Parliament.

LS. AUG 1901

Hoping that this suggestion will meet your approval.

I am

Your obedient servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Secretary of the
Indian Department,
Ottawa.

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Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA, 27th August, 1901:-

The Secretary:-

Re school on the Gibson Reserve.

This school has been closed for some time owing to their being no suitable accommodation for a teacher to be found on the reserve. There are no funds available at present for building a house, although the Deputy Minister has requested a note to be made for next year's estimates for this purpose.

This is one of the schools taken over from the Methodist Missionary by the Department and Dr Sutherland writes that he can secure a teacher if the Department can see its way to include sufficient money in the estimates for putting up a house and that he is willing to submit plans and proceed with the erection of a building, taking the chance of being re-couped when the grant is passed by Parliament.

It is a pity that these Indians should be deprived of the benefit of their school for another year when the Department might avail itself of such an advantageous offer.

I may add that a suitable site can be had on the mission land.

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M.S.G.

Ottawa, 29th August, 1901.

MEMORANDUM - Mr. Stewart,

I think you had better reply to the Rev. Dr. Sutherland that no definite assurance can be given him with regard to building a house suitable for a teacher on the Gibson reserve. The Minister's attention will be called to the matter later on.

Deputy Minister.

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Schools

Mr . Stewart,

Please return this file after you have written the letter.

Dr. A. Smart

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Returned to Dept.

OTTAWA, 30th August, 1901.-

Rev. Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant; and in reply I beg to inform you that no definite assurance can be given you in reference to the building of a suitable house for a teacher on the Gibson Reserve at present. The attention of the Minister will, however, be called to this matter later on.

Your obedient servant,

D. STEWART

Asst. Secretary

Rev. A. Sutherland, D.D.
General Secretary,
Methodist Mission Rooms/
Toronto.

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Ex'd.

OTTAWA, 11th September, 1901:

Rev. Sir,

In connection with previous correspondence relative to the proposed erection of a suitable dwelling house for a teacher on the Gibson reserve, I am directed to inform you that the Minister's attention having been called to this matter, he will be glad if you will be good enough to submit a plan and estimate as suggested in your letter of the 6th ultc. when if the same are approved of, the Department will be pleased to accept your proposition to put up the building, which it will agree to pay for out of the Supplementary Vote.

Your obedient servant/

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

Rev? A. Sutherland D.D.
General Secretary
Methodist Mission Rooms
Toronto,
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[redacted] Union Rooms,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 17 1901

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SIXTH
SCHOOLS.
SEP 18 1901

Toronto, 14th Sept., 1901.

(Dictated.)

Sir,-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your last letter of th 11th inst., No 152195 ---5, referring to the erection of a teacher's house on the Gibson Reserve. A plan will be prepared, and as soon as estimates can be obtained from a reliable builder, it will be forwarded to the Department.

With sincere thanks for the action of the Department in this matter,

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland
General Secretary.

The Secretary of the
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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DESIGN "A"

Design A

SPECIFICATION of Work and particulars of the Materials to be used in the erection of a **FRAME COTTAGE PARSONAGE,** *in accordance with Design "A" of "*DESIGNS FOR PARSONAGES,*" published by the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, and these Specifications.*

General

All materials used in the different departments to be first-class of their respective kinds, and all the works to be performed in a thorough and workmanlike manner.

Figures on the Plans to be taken in preference to measurements by scale.

EXCAVATION, Etc.

Excavation

Excavate for cellar whole size of Kitchen Extension, and build good stone walls to same.

BRICKLAYER.

Chimneys

The chimneys are to be built with good, hard, well-burnt red bricks, and chimney tops are to be carried to the heights above the roof, as shewn; to rest on brackets 2 ft. 6 in. from ceiling line. The smoke flues of 9 in. × 9 in. are to be formed in the most careful manner and well parged. All necessary stovepipe collars and stoppers to smoke flues to be placed 1 ft. 6 in. from ceiling to centres of flues. Three partition stones will be required.

CARPENTER AND JOINER.

Foundation

The Cottage is to be built on cedar posts 10 in. in diameter, placed 4 ft. in the ground. (Give alternative Estimate for stone foundation throughout).

Framing Timbers

The framing timbers are to be of pine and of the following dimensions :—

	INCHES.
Plates, principal posts, interties, and door and window posts	4 x 4
Studding of partitions at 16 in. centres	4 x 2
Main sills and sills to support partitions and laid on cedar posts	8 x 6
Ground floor joists	10 x 2
Ceiling joists	6 x 2
Common rafters at 20 in. centres	6 x 2
Ridge pieces	8 x 1½
Collar beams	6 x 2
Valley rafters	8 x 2

The building is to be framed and braced in a strong and workmanlike manner. The sills are to be solidly rested on the posts, and halved and primed at the angles. The exterior corner posts and the principal posts are to be well spiked to the sills and plates.

Bracketting

Fix substantial bracketting for chimneys.

Roof

Roof of Cottage to be strongly framed and made of pitch as shewn on Drawings. Properly trim roof for chimney shafts and where else required. The plates of Cottage to be in as long lengths as possible, and dovetailed at angles. The common rafters are to be well notched and

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spiked down to the wall plates, and also to the valley rafters and ridge pieces at 20 in. centres. Cover the roof with 1 in. rough boards which are to be well nailed to the rafters. The ridges of roof to be covered with 2½ in. rolls, to be carefully laid on 4½ in. × ¾ in. saddle boards. Roof to be laid with the best ⅜ in. sawn pine shingles, laid in ½ in. of mortar at 4 in. to the weather. Mortar to be supplied by Plasterer.

Verandah

The rafters of main roof to project beyond partition wall, to form roof of Verandah. Ends beyond partition wall to be dressed, arrises to be chamfered off, and the rafters to be covered with tongued and grooved, beaded, dressed, matched sheeting in 4 in. widths. Posts 5 in. × 5 in. to be chamfered, and between posts to have a horizontal tie chamfered according to detail provided. Small 1½ in. square short blocks to be inserted and firmly fixed between the plate of Verandah and horizontal tie as shewn.

Cornice

The cornices of main building to project 1 ft. 4 in. from face of wall to facia.

Facia boards and soffits in 5 in. widths, and 1 in. thick, and bed and crown mouldings.

Exterior Walls

Sheet the whole of the exterior walls horizontally, and cover with tarred paper or building felt; fix 2 in. × 1 in. strapping at 16 in. centres to exterior walls; cover the bottom portion of upright studding with 10 in. × 2 in. weather table, bevelled on the top, 1 in. vertically to 2 in. horizontally. The facia boards under cornices and gable are to be 8 in. deep. Matched sheeting in boards 8 in. × 1 in. to be well nailed to the strapping. These boards to be tapered down to ½ in. thick on one side, and rebated on the other, to receive the tapered side of the board above. The whole of the main building to be clap-boarded, but wing to be boarded and battened with matched boards and 2½ in. × 1 in. battens.

Floors

The floor of Cottage to be ⅞ in. clear flooring in 4 in. widths, blind nailed.

Floor the Cellar with 2 in. planks on 4 in. × 4 in. cedar sleepers.

Angle beads to all angles of walls.

Doors

Front door to be 7 ft. × 3 ft., with 2 in. mouldings, to be hung to rebated jambs 2 in. thick, of the full thickness of walls when plastered, properly secured into 2 in. oak sill. Door to be hung with three 4 in. butt hinges, and with Kitchen door to be furnished with Carpenters' 6 in. lock and furniture, and having 8 in. barrel bolts. Kitchen door to be flush bead and butt door, 7 ft. x 3 ft., with 2 in. oak sill, etc. All other doors to be 6 ft. 10 in. x 2 ft. 10 in. moulded, to be hung with two 4 in. butts to 2 in. jambs, of width to float with plaster. Good brass faced mortice locks and white china furuiture for all doors, of the value of $4 per dozen (prime cost). Vestibule door to have fanlight over, and to be prepared for glass in upper panels.

Windows

The whole of the windows to be box frames with hanging stiles, bead stops, pendulums, sills, etc. Sills to be properly weathered and throated. All window sashes to be 1½ in. thick, and double hung to frames with white lines, having iron pulleys, weight axles, etc., etc., complete, and two japanned window lifts to each window, and japanned sash fastener. Cellar frame to be 5 in. x 5 in. thick.

Base

Surround all the ground floor rooms with 12 in. base, except Kitchen. Surround the Kitchen with 3 ft. beaded, dressed, matched sheeting, having proper cap.

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Architraves — Six inch architraves to be supplied to all doors and windows for interior and exterior of Cottage.

Cellar Steps — A communication to be made to Cellar through hatchway, having plain, common dressed steps leading to the same.

Shelving — 100 ft. of 12 in. x 1 in. shelving to be provided and fixed, and 20 metal crooks, and 20 ft. of beaded rail.

Plain wrought door steps to be made and fixed to front and back doors.

Prepare and fix 2 ft. area box to cellar window.

Water Closet — Build water-closet 5 x 4 x 7 feet high, inside measurement. The floor to be placed 8 inches above ground. Seat and riser to be made out of 1¼ in. stuff, well put together, and having a suitable cover. A door 6 ft. 6 in. to be hung thereto, having small light in same.

TINSMITH.

Conductor Pipes — Prepare and fix No. 28 galvanized iron 3 in. conductor pipes to the cornice of cottage. Also 10 in. eave-troughs all around same.

Flashings, etc. — Galvanized iron flashings are to be fixed to chimneys. Supply and fix galvanized iron valleys to the roof, 16 in. wide.

PLASTERER.

Lath — Lath the whole of the ceilings and the partitions with the best sawn pine laths, well seasoned. Laths to be well nailed ⅜ in. apart, well butted, and the joints broken at every 18 in.

Plaster — Plaster all lathing and chimneys with the best two coat plastering. The lime for the plaster to be made four days before using, and mixed with a sufficient quantity of good dry cow hair and sharp clean sand.

Plasterer is to remove all rubbish on the completion of his work, and leave the woodwork ready for the painter.

PAINTER AND GLAZIER.

Painting — Knot, prime, stop and paint the whole of the work usually painted, with three coats of the best white lead and linseed oil paints, to be used of the tints that may be approved of. All sashes to be primed before glazing. The whole of the windows of house are to be glazed with best diamond star glass. The Vestibule door to be figured glass. All to be well puttied and back-puttied in good linseed oil putty.

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DESIGN "B."

SPECIFICATION of work to be done and Material furnished for the Erection and Completion of a FRAME COTTAGE PARSONAGE, according to Design "B," and these Specifications, prepared for that purpose by the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church.

All figures to be taken in preference to measurement by scale.

MASON AND BRICKWORK.

Flues, etc. Build the flue, as shown, of good, hard brick, laid in mortar, composed of fresh burnt lime and clean sharp sand, one of lime to two of sand. Flue to be 8 in. by 12 in. inside, parged and cored; insert iron rims with stoppers, as may be required; flue to be built on joists, in position marked on Plan, and topped above the roof as shown.

CARPENTER AND JOINER.

The woodwork generally to be of pine, sawn die square, free from sags, bad knots, shakes, etc.

Cedar Posts Sink, where shown on Plan, the cedar posts, 9 in. in diameter, and to the depth shown on section; the posts to be well footed and braced.

Sills Sill to be 6 in. by 8 in., to rest on posts halved at angles, and pinned, scarfed and wedged at joints.

Joists Joists to be 2 in. by 8 in., placed 18 in. centres, well bridged with 2 in. by 2 in. cross bridging, well nailed.

Studding Studding to be 2 in. by 4 in., 18 in. centres, for walls and partitions. Corner, Door and Window posts and plates 4 in. by 4 in. The whole to be well built and braced in a workmanlike manner.

Rafters Rafters 6 in. by 2 in., 18 in. centres; collar ties 4 in. by 2 in., 18 in. centres; ridge plates 8 in. by 2 in.; the whole well nailed. Rafters to be covered with 1 in. rough boards and shingled with good pine shingles, laid in mortar 4½ in. to the weather, ridges capped with 1 in. ridge boards and 2½ in. roll; ceiling joists 6 in. by 2 in., 18 in. centres, well bridged.

Cornice Cornice to be made with 1 in. wrought facia and bed moulding, etc.; soffit of cornice to be sheeted with 1 in. sheeting.

Outside Walls The outside walls to be sheeted with 1 in. best quality culls, and these with a layer of good tar paper. Provide and fix 1 in. strapping, 18 in. centres, and cover the whole with best quality Dutch siding, 6 in. wide.

Flooring All floors to be laid with ⅞ in. tongued and grooved flooring where not otherwise specified; to be blind nailed at each joist; no board wider than 5 in.; 1 in. rough flooring, and tar paper between rough and dressed flooring.

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Doors — Doors to have 1 in. jambs and ½ in. stops; doors to be 1½ in. thick, four panelled and moulded, with 3½ in. butts, and fitted with 3 in. rim locks and mineral knobs, etc.

Front door to have 6 in. by 3 in. frame, 2 in. oak sill, four panels and moulded, 1¾ in. thick, hung with 3½ in. butts, and fitted with strong lock, white knobs, etc. Porch door to be the same as this one.

Rear door to be 1½ in. thick, flush panels, hung with 3½ in. butts, and fitted with strong lock and mineral knobs, etc.

Windows — The whole of the windows to be box frames with hanging styles, head stops, sills, etc. Sills to be properly weathered and throated. All window sashes to be 1½ in. thick; japanned window lift and japanned sash fastener to each window.

Outside Steps — Make outside steps of 1½ in. stuff as shown, or as may be directed.

Pantries — Fit up shelves in pantries as may be directed.

Architraves — Architraves throughout to be 4 in. wide, with band mould; base to be 12 in. and moulded. Kitchen to be sheeted on the walls 3 ft. high, with ⅞ in. tongued and grooved sheeting, cap on top; all the windows to have neat stool and apron pieces.

W. C. — Build the water closet 3 ft. 6 in. by 5 ft. made of 1 in. rough boards, and battens over joints; risers of 1 in. wrought stuff; small and large seat. Door to have hinges, thumblatch and bolts; 1 in. rough flooring on 6 in. by 2 in. joists; roof shingled; pit 3 ft. 6 in. by 5 ft., lined with 2 in. plank.

Cellar — Excavate for cellar 11 ft. 6 in. by 13 ft. or as much larger as directed, and to the depth shown. Line the cellar with 1½ in. rough boards, and floor with 1½ in. flooring, on 4 in. by 4 in. cedar sleepers; make trap and ladder to cellar.

Summer Kitchen — Erect a summer kitchen 12 ft. by 15 ft., in rear of main building, but omit bedroom part. Cover outside with 1 in. rough boards, 12 in. wide, and cover joists with battens 3 in. wide. Cover rafters with 1 in. culls, and shingle same as main building. Sheet inside with 1 in. culls and floor with 1½ in. rough boards on 4 in. by 4 in. cedar sleepers. Outside door to be of matching, with thumblatch and bolt, hung with 3½ in. butts. Build plain flue where directed, and carry 3 ft. above roof, with arched top.

Porch — Build the porch 4 ft. by 5 ft. as shown, on 4 in. by 6 in. sills, of 4 in. by 2 in. studding at sides, with 4 in. by 4 in. corner and door posts, also plates; door same as front door. Make and fix in in this a casement sash, with bolts, etc., complete. Rafters and collar ties 4 in. by 2 in. Sheet the whole inside with ⅞ in. tongued and grooved sheeting.

Air Trunk — Provide and fix air trunk for cellar windows, made of 1 in. stuff; outer sash to be worked on pivot, and rod long enough to be worked from cellar. The inner sash will be hung on hinges.

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TINSMITH'S DEPARTMENT.

Flashings

Provide and fix 14 in. tin flashing to flue, and any other flashing to make the roof waterproof.

Flash over heads of doors and windows, also where the porch joins main house.

PLASTERING.

Lath and Plaster

Lath and plaster in good, two-coat work, hard finish, all walls, partitions and ceilings.

Lath to be put on a full ¼ of an inch apart, and well nailed, with 4 nails to each lath.

Lath and plaster one coat behind all base trimmings, etc.

Supply mortar to carpenter for laying shingles.

Use the best lime, sand, hair, etc., and leave the woodwork and floors clean and fit for painter.

PAINTING AND GLAZING.

Painting

Knot, stop, prime and paint the whole of the woodwork usually painted, including inside of porch. Inside work two coats, light stone color, door panels still lighter. Outside work three coats, good stone color, window and door frames, and cornice and angle boards several shades darker. Outside of the window sashes black, inside of sashes

Glazing

white; paint to be of first quality white lead, mixed with good linseed oil

Glaze all windows with good 21 oz. Diamond sheet glass, to be left

Rubbish

clear and sound at completion of work.

Remove all rubbish, and bank around outer walls so as to prevent rain or frost from penetrating to cellar.

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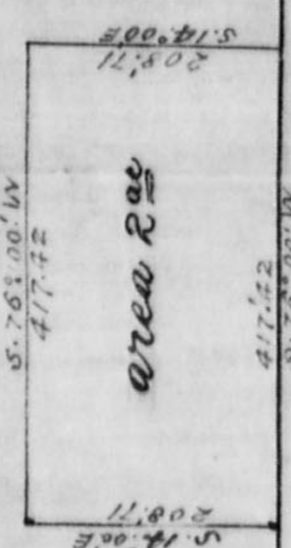
Sketch

Showing Authorized Indian Plot in the Township of Gibson

Scale 3 Chains to One Inch

LOT 11

CON. IV



CON. V

LINE BETWEEN CONCESSIONS IV & V

Chas. E. Hilton
Agent for Indian Affairs
Bearings Magnetic

SIDE-ROAD BETW LOTS 10 & 11

LOT 10

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Bracebridge Sept. 26. 1901.

Rev. Mr Ferguson
Bracebridge

Dear Sir Friend

We have carefully considered the plans respecting proposed mission Houses and wish to state as our figures on the framework such as sills, joist, studding, rafters collarbeams (all of which are tote wood) of No 1. hemlock instead of No 1. pine as stated in specifications, this change will make the buildings just as good and considerably less cost knowing the lands & proposed building site we have based our figures on lands given on plans and have taken it for granted that the land at site is rock free from excavation. We therefore offer tender for the buildings as follows.:—

A. $1010.00 Excavation & stonework 343.75 extra

B. $720.00 Excavation & stonework 210.00 extra

We consider our proposal above very low as the material on building site this fall will much cheaper in prices.

We are Sir— Yours obediently

Brown Bros.

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Bracebridge Sept. 26. 1901.

Rev. Mr Ferguson
Bracebridge

Dear Sir Friend

We have carefully considered the plans respecting the proposed mission Houses and wish to state as our figures on the framework such as sills, joists, studding, rafters collarbeams (all of which are to be covered) of No 1. Hemlock instead of No 1. pine as stated in specifications, this change will enable the buildings just as good and considerably less cost knowing the lands & proposed building site we have based our figures on lands given on plans and have taken it for granted that the land at site is earth rock for the excavation.

We therefore offer tender for proposed buildings as follows:—

Plan A. $1010.00 Excavation & Stonework $343.75 extra

B. $720.00 Excavation & Stonework $210.00 extra

We consider our proposal above very close and material on building site this fall much advance in Canada in prices.

Yours Sincerely Yours ardently

Brown Bros.

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TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

239212

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OCT 5 1901

(Dictated.)

SOHO Toronto, 4th October, 1901.

OCT 7 1901

Sir,-

Referring to previous correspondence respecting the erection of a teacher's house on the Gibson Reserve, I beg to say that plans and specifications were sent throught the Rev J.J.Ferguson, of Bracebridge, to the Messrs Brown Bros, a reliable firm of builders in that place. They have furnished an estimate of cost of building according to two different plans, and I enclose their estimate, and am sending to the Department a copy of the plans in question. It will be seen that in both cases the houses are of the cheaper class; but I think if either plan is adopted it is very desirable that the building should be erected on a stone foundation, which will involve some extra cost, also that the rough outside boaring should be covered with building felt before the clapboarding is put on. "Plan B." would look ~~but~~ better and be more comfortable, if covered with clapboarding as provided for in the specification, rather than with upright boards and battens as shown in the plan. If the Department prefers a story-and-a-half building, differently arranged, we can supply plans for the purpose. Anything further we can do to facilitate the erection of the proposed house will be cheerfully undertaken.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Secretary of the
Depart't of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA, 7th October, 1901.

The Secretary:-

As directed by the Deputy Minister Rev.Dr Sutherland was requested to submit plan and specifications for a teacher's house on the Gibson reserve, with an estimate of the proposed cost.

The accompanying plan and specifications have been received from Dr Sutherland with a builder's estimate which shows that a building constructed after plan "A" would cost $1253.75 with stone foundation and $1010.00 if put up on cedar posts; while one after plan "B" would cost $930.00 with stone foundation or $720.00 if built on posts.

Plan "B" would I think afford sufficient accommodation and for the small number of rooms provided would have a much better appearance than if the building were a story and a half instead of the cottage style.

If the Department approves of either of these plans the Methodist Church if prepared to go on with the building under the arrangement proposed which was to wait for payment until the money is voted.

I understand that they have a good schoolhouse at Gibson, which should last for a number of years.

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Mr. Scott
Ex Rotty Supt. Sept.

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OTTAWA, 8th October, 1901.

ACCOUNTANT'S
OCT 10 1901
BRANCH.

Rev. Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th instant submiting plans and specifications for a teacher's house on the Gibson Reserve together with an estimate of the proposed cost and in reply I beg to inform you that plan "B" is approved of, and an item will be placed in the Supplementary estimates for $930.00 to meet the cost of the proposed building, which is to be erected on a stone foundation.

The Department approves of your suggestion to have the outer walls clapboarded instead of boarded and battened as shown on the plan.

The above amount is to cover the total cost of the building and properly certified vouchers will be required for the expenditure of this amount, whether the building is put up under contract or day labor.

Your obedient servant

D. STEWART

Asst. Secretary

Rev. A. Sutherland D.D.
General Secretary
Methodist Missionary Society
Methodist Mission Rooms
Toronto,
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The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT, 240090

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 24 1901

Toronto, 23rd October, 1901.

(Dictated.)

Schools

Sir,-

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th inst. No. 152195, approving of "Plan B." for a teacher's house on the Gibson Indian Reserve, and stating that the sum of $930 would be placed in the supplementary estimates to cover the cost. I have communicated with Messrs Brown Bros. of Bracebridge, Ont., by whom the estimates were made, requesting them to undertake the erection of the building, and to push the work to completion as rapidly as possible. I have also notified them that properly certified vounhers will be required for the expenditure, and that the amount mentioned in your letter is to cover the total cost.

SCHOOLS
OCT 25 1901

May I venture to suggest the advisableness of some agent of the Department inspecting the work as it proceeds, or when it is finished.

I am, Sir,

Yous Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Secretary of the
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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OTTAWA, 28th October, 1901.

Rev. Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd instant relative to the erection of a teacher's residence in connection with the Gibson school; and in reply I beg to say that as suggested by you, Mr Superintendent McLean will be requested to supervise this work as it proceeds and certify the vouchers which will be required for the expenditure. Kindly advise the contractor accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

Rev. A. Sutherland D.D.
General Secretary
Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto, Ont.

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OTTAWA, 28th October, 1901.

Sir,

I have to inform you that the Methodist Missionary Society is to erect a residence for the teacher of the Gibson Indian school, which is to be paid for by the Department and I have to request that you will be good enough to supervise this work as it proceeds and certify to the vouchers which will be required for the expenditure on the building.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary

W.B. Maclean, Esq.
Indian Supt.
Parry Sound, Ont.

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The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

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(Dictated.)

Toronto, 7th November 1901.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS NOV 1901

Sir,- On the 5th of July I sent the Department a tracing of the plot of ground surveyed on the Gibson Reserve, on the farm of Xavier Laforce, as a site for a teacher's house. The builders are ready to begin work, but there is a little uncertainty as to the exact location of the plot of ground, and may I ask, therefore, that you will be good enough to send the tracing to Messrs Brown Bros, Contractors, Bracebridge, Ont, so that no mistake may be made in locating the building.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

The Secretary of the
Depart't of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa,IIth November,I90I-

Gentlemen,

In accordance with the request of Mr.A. Sutherland,General Secretary of the Missionary Department of the Methodist Church,I beg to forward you,herewith, a copy of a Plan showing the plot of ground in the Gibson Reserve,on the farm of Xavier Laforce,which was surveyed as a site for a Teacher's house.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary-

Messrs.Brown Bros.
Contractors,
Bracebridge,
Ont.

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Hx'd.

Ottawa, IIth November, I90I-

Rev. Sir,

In accordance with your request of the 7th Instant, a copy of the Plan of a plot of ground on the farm of Xavier Laforce, on the Gibson Reserve, surveyed as a site for a Teacher's house, has been forwarded to Messrs. Brown Bros., Contractors, Bracebridge, Ont.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary-

Rev. A. Sutherland D.D.
General Secretary,
Methodist Mission Room,
Toronto,
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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, George Brown and Anson Brown, of Bracebridge, Builders, Trading as Brown Brothers, and George Walter Eccleatone, of Bracebridge, Hardware Merchant, and Peter Hutcheson, of Bracebridge, Grocer, are held and firmly bound unto the Reverend A.Sutherland, of the city of Toronto, in the penal sum of three hundred and thirty Dollars of lawful money of Canada, to be paid to the said A.Sutherland, or to his certain attorney, executors, administrators or assigns, for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, and each and every of them, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals. Dated this 23rd day of November A.D.I90I.

The condition of the above written bond or obligation is such, that if the above bounden Brown Brothers do erect a cottage on the Indian Reserve in the Township of Gibson, in the District of Muskoka, according to an agreement made between them and the said A.Sutherland, dated the 9th day of November I90I, then the above written bond or obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force virtue and effect.

Signed sealed and
delivered in the
presence of
O.M.Arnold.

George Brown. (seal)
Anson.Brown. (seal)
Geo.W.Eccleston. (seal)

Henry P.Mackwood.

Peter Hutcheson. (seal)

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AGREEMENT.

Articles of agreement in duplicate made and concluded between George Brown and Anson Brown of the town of Bracebridge, District of Muskoka and province of Ontario, Builders, of the first part; and Rev.Mr.A.Sutherland, D.D., General Secretary of the Methodist Mission Department, of the City of Toronto, County of York and Province of Ontario, and party of the second part. The parties of the first part hereby agree with the party of the second part to build a Cottage or Parsonage on a site situated on the Indian Reserve, Gibson, Province of Ontario, and more fully described by stakes set by a P.L. Surveyor on said site. The said Cottage to be built in accordance with the plans and specifications marked B. and designed by the said party of the second part, for and in consideration of the sum of Nine Hundred and Thirty Dollars lawful money of Canada, which the party of the second part hereby agrees to pay as follows:- Two Hundred Dollars when the stone foundation is finished; Four Hundred Dollars more when the roof is on, and the said building is ready for plastering, and the balance or Three Hundred and Thirty Dollars to be paid when the said building is completed; and the parties of the first part hereby further agree to commence at once and finish the said building as rapidly as weather will permit. Witness our hands and seals to the execution of this agreement this Ninth day of November, A.D. 1901.

(signed)

Witness Nora Brown. { Anson Brown. (seal) / George Brown. (seal)

E.J.H.McGuffin A.Sutherland (seal)

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METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT,

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 29 1901

(Dictated.)

SCHOOLS.
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Schools

Toronto, 27th Nov., 1901.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith copy of agreement with Messrs BrownBros, of Bracebridge, Ont., for the erection of the teacher's house on the Gibson Reserve; also copy of Bond for the due performance of the work, both of which I trust will be found satisfactory.

Messrs Brown Bros write me under date of November 23rd that the stone foundation for the building is now completed, and that the work of the superstructure will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible. In this connection, I will be glad to be informed if it is the intention of the Department to pay the Contractor through the Indian Agent, or through the Mission Rooms. If the latter, we can forward the money from time to time as the vouchers are approved, and be recouped by the Department at the proper time.

In another letter from the Brown Bros they refer to the need of a well on the premises, as there will be no other supply of good water within reach. A member of the firm who examined the spot, and also the well of Xavier Laforce, expresses the opinion that a well could be sunk for about $20, stoned, and $25 with plank top on stone work; this would not include a pump.

I am, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

A. Sutherland

General Secretary.

Secretary of the
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Mr Bibleson
See me about re well

OTTAWA, 3rd December, 1901:-

Rev. Sir,

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th ultimo enclosing a copy of an agreement made with Messrs Brown Bros. of Bracebridge for the erection of a teacher's house on the Gibson Reserve, together with a copy of their bond for the due performance of the work; and in reply I beg to say that the same are satisfactory.

With regard to the manner in which the work is to be paid for I may remind you that this money will not be available until after it has been voted by Parliament, when it will be paid over to you upon receipt of duly certified vouchers by our Superintendent who has been instructed to supervise the work.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary

Rev. A. Sutherland D.D.
General Secretary
Methodist Missionary Society
Methodist Mission Rooms
Toronto

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PARRY SOUND, Dec 17 1901

SCHOOLS.

The Secretary . . .

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,

OTTAWA, ONT.

ACCOUNTANT'S DEC 19 1901 BRANCH
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS DEC 14 1901 RECEIVED

SIR,

I beg to enclose you herewith a duplicate for a payment of $200 asked for by Mess Brown Broo Builders of Bracebridge the contractors who are erecting the school teachers house at the Gibson Indian Reserve

The work done so far on this contract consists of the building of the stone foundation & Mess Brown Broo inform me that under their contract they are entitled to a payment of $200. when this part of the work is completed.

Attached to the enclosed account will be found a certificat from Mr Thomas Whitebeans School teacher at the Gibson Reserve stating that Mess Brown Broo have finished the stone foundation for the teachers house, also a letter from Chief Louis Sahanation certifying to the work having been completed. I therefore beg to recommend that the amount asked for by Mess Brown Bros be paid.

Your obedient Servant

W.B. Macaan

Indian Supt

Approved
There are no funds available
Dec 23 1901
Please see letter to Mr Lockhart

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OTTAWA, 7th January, 1902

Rev. Sir,

I beg to enclose herewith accounts in duplicate submitted to the Department by Mr Supt. Maclean in favor of Brown Bros. builders, of Bracebridge, who are erecting the school teacher's house on the Gibson Reserve, accompanied by a certificate from Mr Thos. Whitebeans and a letter from Chief Sahanation certifying to the work charged for in the account having been completed.

Mr Supt. Maclean has been instructed to send all future accounts for this service direct to you and the Department would be glad if you would communicate with that officer as to the manner in which Your Society desires to make the payments.

You will see by reference to my letter of the 3rd ultimo that the Department will not have money available for this building until after it has been voted by Parliament, when it will be paid over to you on receipt of duly certified vouchers by our Superintendent, who will be advised of the purport of this letter.

Your obedient servant

Rev. A. Sutherland D.D.
General Secretary
Methodist Missionary Society
Toronto
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J. D. McLEAN
Secretary

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Rx'd.

OTTAWA, 7th January, 1902

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th ultimo enclosing accounts in duplicate from Messrs Brown Bros. the contractors for the erection of a teacher's house on the Gibson Reserve, for the payment of $200 on account of the work done on the stone foundation, together with certificates from the teacher and the Chief of the Band; and in reply I beg to inform you that these accounts have been sent to Dr Sutherland, General Secretary of the Methodist Missionary Society, Toronto, for payment, as the Department has no funds available for the purpose until voted by Parliament, when the amount of the contract will be re-couped to the Society, who will pay for the work according as it proceeds on receipt of vouchers duly certified by you. You will therefore, be good enough to forward any further accounts for this service direct to Dr Sutherland, who has been requested to communicate with you.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

W.B.Maclean, Esq.
Indian Supt.
Parry Sound, Ont.

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Exd.

Ottawa , 8th November, 1902.

Revd Sir,

With reference to letter to you of the 8th Oct, 1901, I have the honour to request that you will kindly submit to the Department, through the local Indian Agent, Mr W.B. Maclean, of Parry Sound, a voucher for the work done on the teachers residence on the Gibson Reserve.

I have the honour, to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Secretary.

Revd A. Sutherland, D.D
General Secretary,
Methodist Missionary Society,
Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto, Ont.

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No. of Account

INDIAN TRUST FUND

253726

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To Methodist Missionary Society

DATE.			AMOUNT.	
		Account of Expenditure incurred in building Teachers house &c at Gibson Indian Reserve		
1901 Feby	17	To completion of Cottage as per agreement " digging, stoning & covering with lumber top - one well	301 93000 ~~3000~~ ~~$ 96000~~	
		Receipted Voucher No. 1 of Contractors Mess. Brown Bros attached.	3 3 0 5 / 3 0	

Duplicate

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

PARRY SOUND Nov 21/1901

W B Maclean
Agent.

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THE GENERAL SECRETARY,
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

(Dictated)

The Methodist Church.
Department of Missions.

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REV. A. SUTHERLAND, D.D.
GENERAL SECRETARY.

REV. JAS. HENDERSON, D.D.,
ASSOCIATE SECRETARY.

HON. J. C. AIKINS, L.L.D.
REV. A. SUTHERLAND, D.D.
TREASURERS.

33 RICHMOND ST. WEST,
Toronto, 14th November, 1902.

Mr. W. B. Maclean,
Indian Superintendent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

Dear Sir,-

Under instruction from the Indian Department, I herewith forward the voucher sent to us by Messrs Brown Bros, of Bracebridge, acknowledging the payment of $960.00 being the amount agreed upon for the erection of the Teacher's house at Gibson Reserve. You will be good enough to forward the same to the Department and suggest the early payment of the amount referred to.

As you are aware the building was completed last winter on the understanding that the amount mentioned would be placed in the Government estimates. As the amount would not be available until after July 1st, the matter has been somewhat overlooked since. I trust the delay will not prejudice our claim. I would refer you to my letter of February 27th, giving the details of the contract. Kindly acknowledge the receipt of enclosed voucher, and believe me,

Yours Faithfully,,

A. Sutherland
Jno.

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In your reply refer to
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also to date of this letter.

1536 S.S. Sec'd in Estimates

Recommended for Payment
$930.00 as per Estimates
Accountant

Approved.
Frank Pedley
D. S. G. of I. A.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN A.
NOV 22 1902

Indian Agent's Office,

PARRY SOUND Nov 21 1902

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

301

ACCOUNTANTS
NOV 22 1902
BRANCH

Sir

I beg to enclose you herewith account in duplicate for amount expended by the Methodist Missionary Society in building the School Teachers house at the Gibson Indian Reserve last winter amounting to $960.00 as per the attached account of the Builders Mess Brown Bros of Bracebridge.

I also enclose Rev A. Sutherlands letter giving an explanation of the understanding existing between your Department & the Methodist Missionary Society as to the re. payment of the amount expended by that Society on the Teachers house at the Gibson Reserve, & as the work was completed in a satisfactory manner I presume it will now be in order for your Department to issue cheque to re. imburse the Methodist Missionary Society for their outlay in connection with this matter

Your obedient Servant
W B Macdean
Indian Supt

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Exd.

Ottawa . 27th November, 1902.

With Cheque.

Revd Sir,

The Department has received , through Mr Superintendent McLean, of Parry Sound, your letter to him of the 14th instant, together with a voucher amounting to $960.00 for expenditure incurred in building the teacher's house and sinking a well etc at Gibson Reserve, together with a receipted account attached from the contractor for the said amount. In this connection I may remind you that $930.00 was the amount which the Department promised to pay (vide official letter of the 8th October, 1901) and this sum only was provided for in the estimates to cover the cost of the erection of the teacher's residence . I therefore enclose herewith a cheque , No 301, for $930.00 , amount of grant. The charge for the well, cannot , I regret to say , be allowed.

Your obedient servant.

D. McLEAN

Acting

Revd A. Sutherland, D.D.
General, Secretary.
Methodist Missionary Society,
Methodist Mission Rooms,
Toronto, Ont.

Deputy Supt General,
of Indian Affairs.

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IN REPLY PLEASE REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER AND ADDRESS
[redacted] SECRETARY
METHODIST MISSION ROOMS,
TORONTO.

The Methodist Church,

MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT.

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(Dictated)

Toronto, 1st December, 1902.

Rec'd. DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS DEC 5 1902

ACCOUNTANTS DEC 3 1902 BRANCH.

Sir,-

I have the honor to acknowledge with many thanks your favor of Nov.27th, #I52I99/5 containing cheque of the Department for $930.00 on account of grant for building Teacher's house at Gibson Reserve.

I note your reference to the amount of $30.00 for sinking the well, which has not been provided for in the estimates. This item has probably been overlooked in preparing the estimates, as the consent of the Department to that expenditure was duly obtained, as you will see by referring to Official letter, #I52,I93-5 dated, December 17th, I90I, which reads as follows:

"With reference to concluding paragraph of your letter of the 27th ultimo, I beg to say that the Department will consent to the expenditure of $25.00 or $30.00 for sinking a well on the premises on which the new school house for the Gibson Reserve is being erected."

In view of the above I would be glad to receive a cheque for the $30.00 which has been expended for the well.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,

The Secretary of the
Department of Indian Affairs,
Otrawa, Ont.

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No. of Account.....

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs, Gibson Band

To.....Mary A. Black
Saharation, Ont.

DATE			AMOUNT	
1922		Authorized by Dept. letter No.....dated..... To Goods for Teachers Residence at Watha School Gibson Reserve, as per attached statement.	3	05

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

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22-1-8

Ottawa, November 21st., 1922.

Sir,-

I re-enclose herewith the unsigned voucher amounting to $3.05 which you forwarded in favor of Mary A.Black, of Sahanatien, for goods supplied for the teacher's residence on the Gibson Reserve.

I have to point out that seemingly no authority was granted by the Department for the expenditure which has been incurred and therefore an explanation in the matter is desired. I may say further that the Department has not in the past paid for supplies for the teacher's residence, and it is not proposed to make payment in this case.

Your obedient servant,

J.D.McLean
Asst.Deputy and Secretary.

J.M.Daly Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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No. of Account 123

INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs, Gibson Band

To Miss Mary A. Black
Sahanatien, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT	
1922	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-1 dated Aug. 15/22.		
	To goods purchased by Miss Black from the T. Eaton Co. for use in the school at Gibson		
	1 mop	1	50
	1 broom		55
	1 pail	1	00
	(as per statement attached)	3	05

5940 Gen. Del. 6/22

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John McDaly
Agent.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 4 1922
RECORDS

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. S-287
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

....Parry..Sound,..Ont.,.....

November 30th.,...19 22.

Sir,—

In reply to yours of November 21st. (22-1-8) I beg to state that Miss Black informs me that the goods mentioned in the voucher which I am enclosing were purchased for use in the school and not in the teacher's residence as I was led to believe at first. Miss Black also forwarded me a copy of your letter authorizing the purchase of these goods so that the matter appears to be in order. Trusting that you will find this satisfactory. I have the honour to be, Sir:

a/c 123

Your obedient servant,

John McDaly
Agent.

J.D. McLean Esq.,

Secretary Dept. Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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Sahanatien, Ont., Jan 22nd/26.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 25 1926
RECORDS

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Dear Sir.-

It seems of little use to try to keep the school going here on account of the prevalence of whooping cough on the Reserve. It is practically in every house where there are children. I have been at the school every day this week but there have been scholars there only two of the days, and then it was only three little boys from one family, and one of them has the cough.

My wife and baby have not been here for fear of the child getting the whooping cough, and I think I will take a few days and go to them.

Will you please send a few lines to me at Alderville and let me know if you are agreeable to the school being closed next week. If you do not acquiesce in the closing of the school, I will return to the Reserve as soon as I hear from you. My address will be Alderville, Ont.

Yours sincerely,

Frank J. Joblin.

P.S. I am writing Agent Daly also. F.J.J.

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22-1-1

Ottawa, January 25, 1926.

Sir:-

A communication has been received from Frank J. Joblin, teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School, in which he states that owing to the prevalence of whooping cough on the reserve there is a very slight attendance. He has asked authority to close the school during the week beginning today and the Department has granted him permission to do so.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

J. M. Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, ONT.

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22-1-1

Ottawa, January 25, 1926.

Sir:-

I have your letter of the 22nd instant, requesting that, on account of an outbreak of whooping cough on the reserve and the consequent poor attendance of the Indian children, you be granted permission to close the Gibson Indian Day School for the week beginning today.

In reply I beg to say that, in view of the reason stated by you, the Department will approve of the school being closed during the present week. We are informing Mr. Agent Daly accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Frank J. Joblin, Esq.,
Alderville, ONT.

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REQUISITION FOR SCHOOL MATERIAL

For Gibson Day School on Gibson Reserve

Reserve in Parry Sound Agency

Date January 21 1920

ARTICLES	NO. ON HAND	DATE OF LAST RECEIPT	NO. REQUIRED	NO. AUTHORIZED	REMARKS
Boxes of number cards	0		6		
Folding paper	0		100 sheets		
Cutting paper	0		200 sheets		
Scissors (Primary class)	0		6 pr.		
Blackboard Paint			1 qt.		
3 Panes of Glass					10" X 12" (For windows)
1 Pane of Glass					26" X 24" (For picture)
For Teachers Residence					
2 pair sheets	0		2 pair		
2 pair pillow cases	0		2 pair		

Address to which above supplies are to be sent:

Name Edith Fulcher

School Gibson Day School

Post Office (nearest) Bala, Ont.

Express Office (nearest) Bala Ont.

Province Ontario

Number of Pupils on Roll 31

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NOTE.—To avoid delay and correspondence in filling Requisitions, the teacher should give full particulars regarding each article required. The name, series, number of grade and name of author and publisher of all books required should be given as fully as possible.

Edith Fulcher
Teacher

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have examined this requisition, and that the articles asked for by the teacher are necessary and are such as are in use in the Provincial schools.

John M Daly
Indian Supt. or Agent.

A separate form to be used for each school.

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FEB 6 1929
RECORDS

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

SCHOOL BRANCH
FEB 6 1929

Parry Sound, Ont.
Feb. 4. 1929

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The Secretary,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir:

Enclosed please find requisition from Miss Edith Fulcher, School Teacher, Gibson Reserve, in it is requisition for sheets and pillow cases.

On my last visit to the Reserve I advised Miss Fulcher to requisition for this bedding as there was none there.

Please note the Address , Gibson Day School, Bala. Ont. Have supplies sent direct.

The attention of the Department would be greatly appreciated.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

JMD/EK.

John M Daly
Agent.

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22-1-8.

Ottawa, February 6, 1929.

Sir:

I have your letter of the 4th instant, enclosing a requisition from the teacher of the Gibson Indian Day School. In reply I beg to say that the classroom supplies will be ordered from the Government Stationery Office to be sent to the teacher's address.

You should arrange for the purchase and delivery of 2 pair of sheets and 2 pair pillow cases for the use of the teacher's residence. While serviceable articles should be obtained, it is not intended that any large expense should be incurred. You should also arrange for the purchase of 3 panes of glass, 10" x 12", and 1 piece of glass for picture, 28" x 24".

Please forward certified accounts, in duplicate, covering the expenditure incurred.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

John Daly, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To E. H. Oldfield. Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter N&2-1-8 dated Feb. 6. 29	
	To supplies for Teacher's House.	
	Gibson Indian Day School.	
	(as per statement attached.	7.27

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Feb 11 / 1929

Miss Fulcher Indian Day Skool

Gibson Reserve Bala Ont

In Acct: with

E. H. OLDFIELD

Dry Goods, Hosiery & Underwear

PHONE 43

TERMS

PARRY SOUND : ONTARIO

½	1 pa	Sheets		2	39
	1 pa	Cotton	Do	2	78
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and the charges are fair and just ; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

John M. Daly

.....Agent.

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INDIAN TRUST FUND

The Department of Indian Affairs,

To McKinley Hardware. Co. Parry Sound, Ont.

DATE		AMOUNT
	Authorized by Dept. letter No. 22-1-8 dated Feb. 6/1929	
	To supplies for Gibson Indian Day School.	
	teacher's house.	
	(as per statement attached)	.94

W. R. McKINLEY — W. H. WADDELL

CHEVROLET
DEALERS IN CHEVROLET CARS

PARRY SOUND, ONT., July 23 1929

M Indian Agent
For Gibson Reserve.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

McKINLEY HARDWARE CO.

GENERAL HARDWARE, STOVES AND TINWARE

July 11	3 glass - 10 x 12	21
	points	05
	1 glass 28 x 24	60
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Sent 4-3-29.

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John M. Daly
..... Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

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Parry Sound, Ontario,
October 22nd, 1938.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch.
OCT 24 1938
RECORDS

The Secretary,
Department of Mines and Resources,
Indian Affairs Branch,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

Dear Sir:-

Mr. Gibson, teacher at the Gibson Indian Day School, has asked me to find out if the Indian Affairs Branch supply any of the furnishings for the Teacher's house at Gibson.

I understand this house is owned by the Mission Board, but do not know if the Department contribute anything towards the up keep etc.

Some of the furniture needs replacing, and I would be glad to receive your advice in the matter.

Thanking you, I am,

Yours very truly,
Gerald M Taylor
G. M. TAYLOR,
(Acting) Indian Agent,
PARRY SOUND, Ontario.

GMT:BNG

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EX'D.

Ottawa,
October 27, 1938.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 22nd instant the Department has not in the past supplied any furnishings for the teacher's residence at the Gibson School.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

G. M. Taylor, Esq.,
Acting Indian Agent,
Parry Sound, Ont.

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DAY SCHOOL

TEACHER'S RESIDENCE

CORRESPONDENCE FROM JUNE 1895

TO OCTOBER 1938

NO FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE TO BE PLACED ON THIS FILE

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH.

OTTAWA 4th January 1894

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of the Return for December Quarter last from the Golden Lake Indian School; and to inform you that the same is returned herewith as the teacher has omitted to furnish the information called for on the back of the Return, showing the Goverhment Property and School Material on hand at the school. As soon as the Return with this information has been received the salary of the teacher will be paid.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs

E.Bennett,Esq:
Indian Agent,
Castile,P.O. Ont:

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SCHOOL BRANCH
MAY 17 1895

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Ogamville Ont. May 15. 95

H. Reid Esq.
Commissioner of Indian Dep't.
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

Having heard that the Teacher of the Indian school at Goldens Lake is likely to give up teaching there & being also informed by Mr. Jno. McQamara of Calgary that you are the proper officer to which I should apply for that position, I therefore take the liberty of doing so. I am a qualified teacher holding a Certificate, have had two years ex-

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perience and can give good testimonials. I may also add that my father, brothers and all their friends have been life-long supporters of your Government and party.

My father who intends calling on you in a few days shall more fully explain the reason of my making application.

Hoping this may receive your favorable consideration,

I remain,

Yours respectfully.

Mary E. Gorman.

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Golden Lake, Mar 27

H Reed Esq

Deputy Superintendent
Indian
Affairs. Ottawa

EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH

Sir :

I enclose report of the Indian School Golden Lake for the quarter Ended March 31st as I cannot have it transmitted to the Department through the Local Indian Agent For he is assisting his Brother in minding his Family who are all Sick with Diphtheria and as it will be some time before he can leave there I thought it better to send the Enclosed Report and hope that you will find it made out correctly and if so you will

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EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH.

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 20th May 1895.

Madam,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant applying for the position of teacher of the Indian School at Golden Lake; and in reply I beg to say that as yet the Department has received no notice of the present teachers wish to resign. Should, however, she wish to do so, your application will then receive [redacted] consideration.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

Miss Mary E.Gorman,
Eganville,Ont:

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In the event of appt.
Miss Gowanlock receiving only
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In case of vacancy
Mrs Forman to
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SCHOOL BRANCH
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School

South Algoma Oct 3rd 1895.

Sir

When I was speaking to you on the 26th ult. about the school. I forgot to tell you that I had promised the Golden Lake Indian School before Mr Gorman asked you for it. Mr Gorman asked me for the school in June as Early last and I told him I could not give it as I had promised it when a vacancy would occur. he Knew very well the school was promised, but took a mean advantage to injure me as Agent by getting you to take the authority of hiring a Teacher from me. You Know it takes a Teacher who will not treat them the Indians and their children with Contempt; and I am in a position to Know the sort of Teachers who will suit them, to speak plain I say Gorman Girl will not suit that school, in fact she two upsetting, she is even so with her own Colour it is a very bad sign when a teacher will not be Kept more than a year in any place now if you take the Authority of appointing a Teacher for the School from me, it hurts me as Agent. when that fact becomes Known to the Indians, & Courts they will Come to the Conclusion that I have no Authority on the Reserve, I hope you will be kind enough not to take the Authority from me as the Inspector Mr Scott & I will select the Teacher that will suit them, when the vacancy occurs if you grant my request I will forward to Dept. a Teachers name and Artificate approved of by the I P.S Mr Scott, Please Answer

I am Sir,
Your Obedient Servant,
E. BENNETT,
Indian Agent, Castile P.O. Ont.

To
The Deputy for Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa

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OTTAWA 8th October I895

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant in which you state that you had promised the position of teacher of the Golden Lake School before Mr Gorman had made his application to me at the Department on behalf of his daughter, and asking that ~~xxx~~ for the reasons stated, your nominee should receive the appointment.

The Department regrets that any misunderstanding should have arisen regarding this matter, which would have been avoided had you advised it of your action at an earlier date.

When, however, the vacancy occurs the person to whom you promised the situation may be appointed, provided he or she holds the necessary qualifications. Miss Gorman will be written to to the above effect.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt: Genl
of Indian Affairs.

E. Bennett, Esq:
Indian Agent,
Castile, Ont:

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EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 14th October 1895

Sir,

In reference to the application made by you in May last, on behalf of your daughter for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School, I beg to say that I was not at that time aware that Mr Agent Bennett had promised the position to another person. Consequently I may find myself compelled to ask your daughter to accept another school. You will be apprised of the first vacancy that occurs.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

Mr Gorman,

Eganville, Ont:

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SCHOOL BRANCH
OCT 31 1895
INDIAN
OCT 30 1895

Schools

Sarah Algona Ont. 25th 1895

Sir

I send you the Certificate of Miss L O'Brien whom I promised the Indians School at Golden Lake. the recomendation from the Inspector I will send as soon as I can see him as he is on his official Tours and I do not know what part of the County he is in at present I expect him this week or next.. when visiting the school in this part. I am confident this young man will suit as he is a quite Gentle person. And will not treat them with Contempt in fact I would not keep him or any other Teacher. in the school who would not use the children well this German Girl who asked you for the School has one, if she will be kept but if I get my way I will not have her in the Indian School, or any other Teacher whom I think will not suit. I asked you for an answer to a previous letter relating to my authority as Agent in selecting a Teacher please answer by return of mail

Can we recommend for approval to Dept. but not promise Jer

I am Sir.
Your Obadient Servant.
E. BENNETT,
Indian Agent, Castile P.O. Ont.

To
The Deputy for Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

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OTTAWA 31st October 1895

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th instant enclosing the Certificate of Mr John J.O'Brien, the applicant for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake School; and in reply I beg to say that the same is satisfactory and Mr O'Brien may be appointed to take charge of this school when Miss Quinn leaves. Mr O'Brien's Certificate is returned herewith.

Your obedient servant,

Acting Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

E.Bonnett, Esq:
Indian Agent,
Castile, P.O.
Ont:

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South Algona Oct. 31st 1894

Sir

The Teacher at the Golden Lake Indian School has notified me that she was to leave the School on the 31st inst. to day. she did not notify me until the 26th inst. she is getting married and going to live to Hamilton. in a case of that kind I suppose there is no excuse however. I am sending O'Brien whose Certificate I sent you. I was at the Golden Lake Reserve to day. And the Inspector was after leaving before I arrived he told the Teacher to tell me that he will be at my place in two weeks. he left for Renfrew & Arnprior and as soon as I see him. I will send you the recomandation And you may rest assured it will be a good one

I am Sir,
Your Obedient Servt.
E. BENNETT,
Indian Agent, Castile P.O. Ont.

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To
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SCHOOL BRANCH

OTTAWA 16th November 1895

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Sir,

Referring to the last paragraph of your letter of the 25th ultimo in which you ask what authority you have in the selection of a teacher for the Indian schools in your Agency I beg to say that you can only recommend a teacher for the approval of the Department, but you are not authorized to make any promises.

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Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

E.Bennett, Esq:
Indian Agent,
Castile, Ont:

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Pembroke 19th Nov- 1895

I hereby certify that Mr John J O'Brien is a regularly qualified Third Class teacher, and that he is fully competent to discharge efficiently the duties of teacher of the school on the Golden Lake reserve.

Of all the teachers that have had charge of this school during the last twelve years Mr O'Brien certainly possesses the highest attainments.

I am happy also to be able to testify to his being a young man of most exemplary moral character.

Rey Scott

I.P.S. Co Renfrew

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SCHOOL BRANCH
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South Alberta Nov. 21st 1895

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 25 1895

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SCHOOL BRANCH.

Sir

acording to promise I send you the recomendation from Mr Scott I P. S. for John L O Brien I am sure he will give satisfaction as Teacher in the School

I am Sir,
Your Obedient Servant,
E. BENNETT,
Indian Agent, Castile P.O. Ont.

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To
The Deputy for Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 3 1895

Eganville ; Dec 2nd 1895.

SCHOOL BRANCH
DEC 3 1895

Hayter Reed Esq
Dep Supt Genl Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Dear Sir -

If appointment of teacher for Golden Lake Indian School be not yet made, I would suggest, as one having an interest in the welfare of the School - it being in my Parish and all the people Catholics, that you will do well to try to give the children the advantage of having a female teacher, who will be more apt to ~~teach~~ give them the Motherly training that seem to need so much through lack of home training

Yours respectfully
D. J. Stanton
Priest -

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EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH.

OTTAWA 5th ~~4th~~ December I895

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Sir,

The Department is in receipt of a communication from Rev: Father Dowdall of Espanola ville, suggesting the advisability of engaging a female teacher for the Golden Lake Indian School, and I have to request that in the event of Mr O'Brien's leaving and a vacancy occuring at this school, you will endeavor to procure applications from female teachers.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

E.Bennett, Esq:
Indian Agent,
Castile
Ont:

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SCHOOL BRANCH
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 23 1895

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Sarnia Ontario December 18th 1895

SCHOOL BRANCH
EXAMINED

Sir

in reply to yours of 5th inst asking me to report to Department about having a Female Teacher in the Indian School at Golden Lake Reserve. I Can say that the Teacher Miss Lemmon who was teaching there, that Father Dowdal. was not very kind to her he asked me in June last for the School for a girl of the name of McHues. he said he wanted her there to play in the church I told him the Indians did not want any music in their church and, that I would not promise the school to him. nor give it to him he told me he would do his best to get it for her, now he is a man that wants Schools for all the Teachers in his mission, he dont Care about. Teachers out of his mission whether they get schools or not, so as he can accomplish his own ends. and I further state that it is a Male Teacher that should be there. I know it from past experience so you Can see what the object is in getting a Female Teacher in the said School

Your obt. servt.
Indian Agent Superintendent Services.
M. BENNETT,
Indian Agent, Cayuga P.O. Ont.

To
The Deputy for Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

Answered
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Ottawa, December 24th, 1895.

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Sir,

I regret to say that Agent Bennett has informed the department that, on the 20th instant, three of your Indians, Lehab Serisa, Michel Whiteduck, and ~~Xxxxx~~ Joe Francois, took the key of the schoolhouse by force from Mr. O'Brien, the teacher. I need hardly tell you how reprehensible was this act, or how much displeasure it has given to the department. To you, as Chief, the department must look to assist Mr. Bennett in keeping order upon the Reserve. The Agent has control of your affairs, and you, under him, must do your share in maintaining law and good governmen The Department is determined to take serious notice of this breach of order on the part of the above named Indians, and unless you will hand the Agent the key of the schoolhouse at once the guilty parties will be prosecuted according to law. If you fail to do this, and if you do not shew by your actions that you are willing to assist in enforcing the wishes of the Department it may be necessary to depose you from the Chieftainship, as the department has this power if you prove your incompetency to fill the position, under Section 75 of the Indian Act.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

Joe Partridge, Chief,
Golden Lake Reserve,
Ontario.

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EXAMINED SCHOOL BRANCH.

Ottawa, December 24th, 1895.

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Sir,

The information received from you verbally to-day that three Indians of the Golden Lake Reserve took the schoolhouse key by force from the school teacher and refused to give it up, leads the Department to the opinion that serious notice should be taken of this misconduct. You should, of course, in the first instance, do all you can to arrange an amicable settlement of the affair, and to this end the Department has written a letter to Chief Partridge, which you will kindly hand him. If, however, you find it impossible to arraive at a settlement, you may lay an information before the nearest magistrate, and summon these Indians for assault. If you cannot obtain possession of the key you may remove the lock from the door, and put on a new lock, in order that the school may assume its session after the holidays are over.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

Edmund Bennett, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Castile,
Ontario.

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Ottawa, 30th Dec., 1895.

Sir,-

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Referring to the visit of Constable H. Giroux to the Golden Lake Reserve for the purpose of endeavoring to ascertain the parties who had been selling liquor to the Indians, I would say that I think it would be advisable for him to see the Agent, Mr. Bennett, of Castile, who will give him all assistance possible. Some friction has arisen between the Agent and some of the Indians, who are the school trustees. It appears that the latter by force took the school house key from the teacher, with a view of preventing his continuing his duties and appointing another. The appointment of another has not been recommended to or approved by the Department, consequently would have no effect. The Agent is desirous that proceedings be taken against these Indians; but the Department wishes Mr. Giroux to endeavor to obtain from these Indians the key and hand it over to the Agent, and also to make an endeavor to bring about a proper feeling between the two parties. I verbally instructed him (Mr. Giroux) not to make any arrest without first reporting to the Department, as it is thought better to bring about some settlement if at all possible.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt. General
of Indian Affairs.

A. P. Sherwood Esq.,
Commr. Dominion Police,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, 30th Dec., 1895.

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT to you

Sir,-

Referring [redacted] recent visit to Ottawa and to the letter to the Chief, I might advise you that the Department was to-day visited by the Hon. Peter White, who informed it that a petition had been sent to him containing complaints against your administration of affairs. The Department is particularly anxious to avoid all friction between yourself and the Indians, and has therefore instructed the policeman who goes from here to endeavor [redacted] to get the Indians to see the error of their conduct and give up the key and consent to abide by the decision of the Department, and not to arrest or take criminal proceedings in any way against these Indians without first referring the matter here.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt. General
of Indian Affairs.

E. Bonnett Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Castile, Ont.

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Send the following Message, subject to the above terms, which are hereby agreed to.

To E.Bennett, Indian Agent, Castile, Ont.

Ottawa, 2nd January, 1896. 18

Referring conversation and correspondence relative Golden Lake School dont begin any criminal or other proceedings without further advice from here.

Hayter Reed

Chief Ind. Dept. (of)

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Letter sent

Ottawa, January 3rd, 1896.

Sir,

I have to confirm the following telegram sent you on January 2nd :

"Referring to conversation and correspondence "relative Golden Lake School, don't begin any "criminal or other proceedings without further "advice from here.".

Since your visit, a few days ago, Chief Partridge and one of his Head-men have visited the Department, and after hearing their representations it was deemed advisable to at present forego any extreme measures in dealing with the late unpleasantness upon the Reserve, and, instead, to arrange the matter amicably if it was found possible to do so. The Chief expressed regret that any difficulty should have arisen. He states that it is his desire to do what is right, and for the best interests of his Indians, and that he does not wish to come into conflict with your authority in any way. He says that no force was used in obtaining the key from the school-teacher ; that he was not molested in any way, and that the Teacher handed the key over quite freely. Giving these statements of the Chief their full weight, it has been deemed advisable to send an officer of the Department to

Edmund Bennett, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Castile, Ont.

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to investigate, and endeavour to adjust the difficulty between yourself and the Indians. Accordingly, early next week you will be called upon by one of our officers, who will go into the matter carefully.

When the Chiefs were here they were promised that a set of Rules and Regulations for the government of their Band would drafted by the Department, and submitted for their consideration, to be afterwards approved in the usual way by the Department and His Excellency in Council. Such Rules and Regulations should, it is thought, render the government of the Band less difficult, define the powers of the Chief and Councillors more distinctly, and render less possible the friction which at present seems to exist.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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Letter sent

Ottawa, January 9th, 1896.

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Sir,

I have to instruct you to proceed as soon as possible to the Golden Lake Indian Reserve. The Agent for this Reserve is Mr. Edmund Bennett, who lives at Castile, Ontario. For some time past there has been friction between the Agent and the members of the Band. This culminated a few days ago by the school trustees taking the key of the schoolhouse from the teacher and refusing to give it up to the Agent. It will be your duty to enquire into the reasons for this state of feeling upon the Reserve, with a view to accomplishing an amicable settlement of all disputes. The Indian Agent receives a very small salary, and it would be well to remember this in dealing with the questions likely to be presented to you, as the Department can hardly expect the Agent to devote his whole time and attention to the affairs of the Indians for such a small annual remuneration. It should also be your care to enquire into the sale of intoxicants upon the Reserve, and if you find that liquor is furnished to the Indians you should endeavour to find out the guilty parties. It might be advisable to deal with any cases of intoxication that might, perchance, come under your notice, but your action throughout this inspection and investigation should be directed to allay any cause of irritation

J. A. Macrae, Esq.,
Inspector of Indian Agencies
and Reserves,
Department Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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irritation between the Agent and the Indians, and to promote a more cordial feeling between them.

The Department promised the Chief that a set of Regulations would be prepared and submitted to the Band for adoption. They are enclosed herewith, and you will kindly discuss them with the Agent and the Chiefs, in order that they may thoroughly understand their application before adopting them for the Government of the Band. Departmental File No. 169,863 is also enclosed herewith : it contains a petition from the Indians with reference to the grievances which you are to enquire into.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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PROPOSED REGULATIONS IN RE SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

RESOLVED :

That there shall be elected for three years in the same manner as is provided for the election of Chiefs (Section 75 of the Indian Act) three school trustees ;

That in the case of a vacancy occurring by death, resignation, or otherwise, it shall be filled by election of another trustee or trustees for the unexpired portion of the three year term at the time current ;

That the duties of the school trustees shall be,

1 To appoint a time and place for an annual meeting of the Band for the discussion of matters appertaining to education,

2 To report to the Council on the condition of the houses, properties, premises, and state of education on the Reserve at least once a year, but as much oftener as they deem necessary,

3 To assist in promoting regularity of attendance,

4 To accompany the School Inspector or other inspecting officer in visits made to the school.

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RULES AND REGULATIONS.

The Council of the Algonquins of Golden Lake in the Province of Ontario enact, subject to confirmation, under Section 76 of the Indian Act, the following Rules and Regulations, viz.,

1. Religious Denomination of Teacher.

The teacher of the school upon the Reserve shall be

and no alteration of this rule shall be made except by the Band in Council, after at least three weeks' notice has been given at a regular meeting of the Band in Council.

2. Public Health.

The Council may appoint by resolution one or more persons to visit each Indian residence within the Reserve during the first week of every month, or to receive reports concerning, or take notice of matters dangerous to the public health ; and such sanitary officer or officers shall notify each owner or occupant on whose premises there is found any filth, offal, carcase, or putrid or other offensive matter to remove or bury the same ; and any owner or occupant who, on being notified, fails within a reasonable time to remove such filth, offal, carcase, or putrid or other offensive matter, shall be liable to a penalty of not less than 50 cents or more than $5.00, or to a term of imprisonment not exceeding ten days.

3. Order and Decorum.

A general council of the Band shall be held

The adult male members of the Band shall be entitled to take part in, and vote on all matters before

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before the Band in Council, and shall observe, keep, and perform the rulings of the presiding officer as to all matters of order and decorum, and if any person present at such Council shall misbehave, by using improper, obscene, or blasphemous language, or by being intoxicated or in other ways disturbing the peace, he or she shall be liable to be ejected by the presiding officer, or by his order, and also be subject to a fine of not less than 50 cents nor more than $5.00, or to a term of imprisonment not exceeding ten days.

4. Intemperance and Profligacy.

The Chiefs in Council shall recommend a member of the Band to be appointed as a Dominion Constable, whose duty it shall be to enforce the law, and also the rules of the Band, and to repress intemperance and profligacy by lodging information against offenders, and such constable shall receive all moities of fines and penalties which by law are payable to those laying information and complaints.

5. Trespass by Cattle, Pounds, &c.

(a) No horses, mules, sheep, pigs, or other cattle shall be allowed to run at large on the Reserve, and it shall be lawful for any member of the Band to take or drive away such animal or animals at large or trespassing upon enclosed lands to a pound established by resolution of the Council, and place it or them in charge of the pound-keepers.

(b) A pound shall be established, and a pound keeper appointed by the Council.

(c) It shall be the duty of such pound-keeper to feed, water, shelter, and properly care for all horses

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horses, mules, sheep, pigs or cattle placed in his charge, and for each dy in which such pound-keeper fails to feed, water, shelter, and properly care for any animal as aforesaid placed in his charge he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding $5.00, or to a term of imprisonment not exceeding ten days.

(d) The following poundage fees may be collected :

(e) Any horses, mules, sheep, pigs or cattle impounded and remaining in pound for four full days may be disposed of by the pound-keeper at public auction, but written or printed notices of the sale shall be posted at the Council House and at not less than threeother conspicuous places on the Reserve for two days before the sale, and if the horses, mules, sheep, pigs or cattle belong to persons who are known, or not residing upon the Reserve, the owners shall be notified in writing at least two days before such animals are offered for sale.

(f) The pound-keeper shall, in the event of the amount realized by the sale of any animal being insufficient to pay the fees and expenses incurred of impounding and sale be entitled to recover the deficiency from the owner or owners of the animal (if known) in a summary manner before a Justice of the Peace.

6. Public Works.

Every able-bodied Indian resident upon a Reserve, and every non-resident owner shall, at a time appointed by the Council, contribute days' labour on xxxk public work of the nature described in paragraphs "f" and "g" of Section 76 of the Indian Act upon the Reserve, or in cutting wood for the school, as may be indicated by

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by a supervisor appointed by the Council ; and every Indian resident upon the Reserve, and every non-resident owner who fails or refuses to contribute such ~~s~~ days' labour in person or by substitute, or to pay to the supervisor a sum of in lieu thereof, when called upon to do so under the authority of the Council, shall be liable to a penalty of $3.00 or a term of imprisonment not exceeding ten days for such offence.

7. Location of Lands.

As soon as convenient a general council of the Band shall be called for location of the land in the Reserve conformable to the provisions contained in Section 16 of the Indian Act, and the occupancy of each Indian shall be determined by a vote of a majority of the members present at such Council, which determination, if deemed unfair by any claimant, may be appealed against when it is submitted for the approval of the Superintendent General, as by law required.

8. Repression of Noxious Weeds.

Every Indian owner or occupant shall keep his premises clear of noxious weeds, and any such owner or occupany who fails to remove any such noxious weeds found growing upon his premises within fourteen days of his being notified to remove them by the Indian or any person thereunto authorized by the Council, shall be liable to a penalty of not more than $5.00 or to a term of imprisonment not exceeding ten days unless the fine be sooner paid.

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EXTRACT (Original on file No I69873) of Agent Bennett's letter dated 29th January I896, South Algona Ont.

Sir,

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About the teacher if he is left to teach until the Indian priest comes to the Reserve in Sept if he is satisfied that it is a Female Teacher shoud be there out O'Brien goes, at the end of the year with your permission.

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Your obedient servant,

(sgd) E.Bennett,

Indian Agent.

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RETURN TO SCHOOL BRANCH

OTTAWA 15th February 1896

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Sir,

In reply to that portion of your letter of the 4th instant ,in which you ask that the present teacher of the Golden Lake School may be kept on till September I beg to say that as the school year closes on the 30th of June,his salary will have to cease then, unless he is re-engaged. Payment for summer holidays is not allowed by the Department until the teacher has been in its service for a full year.

In reply to letter from Inspector Lyle 69863

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

E.Bennett,Esq:
Indian Agent,
Castile,Ont:

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Hughes Reed Esq
Supt
Dept Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 20 1896
SCHOOL BRANCH
FEB 20 1896

Sir,

When Mr McRae was up here taking evidence of the Indians in regard to the School & agent he told us we would know the decision in a week from that time but we have not heard anything about it since. Would you kindly let us know what you are going to do about the matter. We have our Teacher Miss Dunn still waiting, and we would like to know when she will be given charge of our School. The present Teacher is not giving Satisfaction to any one so we want the Teacher we engaged at the end of this quarter, and we want you to give us the necessary power to give her charge of the School and dismiss the present Teacher. We look for your reply immediately as we wish to let Miss Dunn know when she is to come to take the School. Please send us a book of instructions and oblige.

Signed { his
Joseph X Partridge (chief)
mark
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Joseph Francis

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SCHOOL BRANCH.

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 20th February 1896

Sirs,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant stating the present teacher of the Golden Lake School is not giving satisfaction, and asking for authority to dismiss him and engage another. In reply I beg to say that, as Mr Agent Bennett, has been informed, Mr O'Brien's services will be retained till the summer holidays, which occur at the end of the June Quarter.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

Chief Joseph Partridge
(and other Indians)
Golden Lake Reserve,
Castile, Ont:

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 27 1896

SCHOOL BRANCH
FEB 27 1896
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South Algona Feb. 24th 1896

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SCHOOL BRANCH.

Sir

as Friday of each week is my mail day to Brudenell a distance of nine miles each way I started on last friday to go for the mail but had to turn back on account of the snow drifts, and went to day monday. I got a letters from Dept Re school. and also one for Chief Joseph Partridge and other Indians, I opened the Chiefs letter in mistake. as I did not think that a letter from Dept would be addressed to him to Castile P. O.. I put the letter in an other envelope. which I intend to hand him tomorrow as I am going to the Reserve. it would be all right some time ago but now they might make a point of it against me, I can assure you that I feel sore over the mistake. I hope you will not think I done it intentionally

I am Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
E. BENNETT,
Indian Agent, Castile P.O. Ont.

To Deputy for Superintendent General of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 7 1896

Golden Lake July 4th 1896

To the Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Sir Being our first general meeting held
Of Golden Lake Indian Reserve We Wish to
Inform you that We Have elected trustees
According to the Rules of Regulation
Stating that they Would Like for to find
Out About these School Matters Should
they Recommended to the Goverment
the 1st teacher they engaged Last Winter
Miss Sophia Dunne of Renfrew
the present teacher Mr. O Brine
His time Due on the June quarter
As you Stated Last Winter We also
Beg to Ins. Agent Bennett for to tell us
What we Should Do About the
matter He said for us to write to the
Goverment Our Selves & you will
See What you will get Now We Wish
to Have your Reply Soon

Your Truely

x Chief Joseph Partridge

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MEMORANDUM.

To D. Ian.

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, 8th July 1896

Marked on file 170622 herewith are the regulations of the Golden Lake Band. Regulation No 1 is the only one in which is reference to school.

I think the letter under has been written in connection with the Dept's letter of 20 Feb. last to the Chief (turned into this file). The Chief I fancy wants to know what action is to be taken to secure a teacher in Mr O'Brien's place.

J. A. McKenna

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 10th July, 1896

Sir,

I have to inform you that a communication has been received from Chief Joseph Partridge of the Golden Lake Band relative to the appointment of a new teacher for the school at Golden Lake and recommending Miss Sophia Dunne of Renfrow for the position. The Chief has been advised that Miss Dunne should forward her certificates and testimonials to the Department for consideration. Through you

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

E.Bennett,Esq:
Indian Agent,
Castile,P.O.
Ont:

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 10th July 1896

Chief,

I have to acknowledge the recipe of your letter of the 4th instant relative to the appointment of a new teacher for the Golden Lake School and recommending Miss Sophia Dunn of Renfrew for the position; and in reply I beg to say that Miss Dunne should at once forward any testimonials and certificates she may have to the Department through the Agent for its consideration.

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SCHOOL BRANCH.

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Your obedient servant,

Deputy Sup:t Genl:
of Indian Affairs:

Chief Joseph Partridge,
Golden Lake
Castile, P.O.
Ont:

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Mr Reede
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Sir –

I beg you to consider me as an applicant for the situation of teacher in the school of the Golden Lake Indian Reserve.

I hold a Third-Class Professional Teachers Certificate. and I have

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my Suspector. Wm. R. G Scott
of Pembroke. If you require
another recommendation
from him. I can forward
you one. I would feel
grateful. Should you
Honor me with an answer

Your obedient-servant
Sophia M. Quinn

four years' experience
Should I be honored
with the appointment
I shall take charge with
both the determination
and confidence that my
services will prove
satisfactory to all concerned
I understand Chief Partridge
has informed you that
I am the teacher they
engaged at the beginning of
the year. Therefore I am
without a situation
And I am still requested
by the Indians of Golden
Lake to be their teacher
Last winter you were
forwarded a letter from

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 25th July 1896

Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your application of the 20th instant for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School; and in reply I beg to say that the Department would like you to forward your certificate and recommendations through Mr E.Bennett,Indian Agent,Castile,P.O. for consideration.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

Miss Sophia M.Dunn,
Renfrew,Ont:

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AUG 1 1896

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Deputy Supt: Genl:
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Sir

I have this day, at your command, mailed to your agent Mr. E. Bennett, to be forwarded to you my certificate & recommendations for consideration

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any further detention
of those papers, does
not rest with me.

Yours very respectfully
Sophia M. Plumb

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Mr A. Reade.

Sir—

I take the liberty of forwarding you two recommendations which I had not at hand when I sent my certificates & other recommendations to the Indian agent. Mr E. Bennett.

Your obedient Servant
Sophia M. Munn.

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Renfrew July 30th 96

Jno. E. Bennett
Indian Agent
Castle.

Sir

I am in receipt of a letter from the Deputy Supt. Genl. of Indian Affairs Ottawa, asking me to forward through you my Certificate & recommendations which I now have you.

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I will now notify Lieut. to the effect that I have done. So.

Respectfully yours

Sophia M Dunne

Sophia M. Dunne.
Renfrew
Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 3 1896

South Algona August. 1st 1896

Sir

Chief Partridge of the Golden Lake band handed me the Certificate & Testimonials of Miss Dunne from Renfrew, as you will see by her letter which I enclose to you that the Dept wrote to her to that effect. well, in your letter of 22nd January 1896 to one you said I would not be limited to engageing the one the Indians lately selected (miss Dunne) as this would be too great a Concession to make to Indians who attempted to usurp functions as regards the appointment of Teachers which the Department reserves to itself alone the right to exercise.

I read this for the Indians and gave them to understand that Miss Dunne would not be engaged. so it seems the Indians do not care about notice given to them, they are bound it seems to carry their point. in spite of Dept or Agent, if O'Brien is left in the school this half year. then we can get a Female Teacher for the future for them. also it is too bad to deprive O'Brien of the chance of a school for the next half year to gratify the whim of the Indians but the Indians are not to blame altogether it is Jimmy Sunstrum who is at the bottom of this. so as to get the Board money & besides she (Dunne) is of a connection by marriage. now if you grant the Indians this Concession there is no use for an Agent. to either advise them or read Dept letters for them. as they will have their own way after. if miss Dunne is not to get the school. and O'Brien dismissed, I can get a female Teacher for them. but this will not please Sunstrum. Sir if the Salary was cut down to 200.00 there would be no Quarreling about the school, the other 100.00 should go to the Agent to be honest about the salaries. there can be got Third Class Teachers for 200.00 Any number, as that is the general wages for Teachers in this part. Sir I would ask you as a special favor to leave O'Brien in for the next half year. to let the Indians & others see they cannot boss me

I am Sir.
Your Obedient Servant,
E. BENNETT,
Indian Agent, Castile P.O. Ont.

The Deputy for Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

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Ack

South Algona July 31st 1896

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 3 1896

Sir Chief Partridge handed me this evening the Certificate & Testimonials of Sophia Dumse Teacher. I enclose them to you and hand the letter to Chief Partridge to mail at Golden Lake. I will send you a letter on the above subject tommorow which will reach you on Monday next

SCHOOL BRANCH
AUG 4 1896

I am Sir,
Your Obedient Servant,
E. BENNETT,
Indian Agent, Castile P.O. Ont.

To
The Deputy for Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

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EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH.

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 4thbAugust 1896

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo enclosing Miss Sophia Dunn's certificate of qualification together with testimonials from the Rev. Father Chain and Mr Inspector Scott of Renfrew; and in reply I beg to say that the same are satsifactory and are returned and Miss Dunn may be appointed to take charge of the Golden Lake Indian School at a salary of $250 per annum,her duties to begin not later than the 24th instant.Please notify Miss Dunn accordingly.

In reference to the remarks made in your letter of the 1st instant in regard to the appointment of a teacher for this school I beg to say that as you fail to co-operate with the Department in obtaining the services of a female teacher for this school,it was obliged to act independently of you,and as Miss Dunn is well recommended it thinks it well to secure her services,and as her appoihtment would apparently give satisfaction to the Indians,the Department trusts that you will do all in your power to promote harmony and make the school a success.

Your obedient servant,

E.Bennett,Esq:
Indian Agent
Castile,Ont:

Deputy Supt:Genl:
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From Goldenlake Ont 19

To Hayter Reed

Ottawa

Did you receive Certificate and testimonials have you engaged Miss Dunn to teach answer today

Joseph Partridge.
Chief

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OTTAWA August 19th 1896

To

Chief Joseph Partridge

Golden Lake,

Ont:-

Certificate and testimonials received. Miss Dunn engaged to open school on 24th.

HAYTER REED.

(Charge Indian Dept:)

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SCHOOL BRANCH
AUG 21 1896

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Ottawa, 19th August, 1896.

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Dear Mr. Scott,-

I return the notes addressed by Mr. Thomas Mackie and Mr. M. Macka[illegible] to the Premier, and which you sent me to-day. In connection therewith I beg to inform you that Mr. O'Brien, who is referred to, took charge of the Indian School at Golden Lake last November. He was not taken for the position by the Agent and recommended by the School Inspector. He succeeded Miss Quirt, who resigned. Shortly after Mr. O'Brien's appointment a letter was received from the Rev. J Lowdell, of Renfrew, suggesting that the school should be run under a female teacher who would be employed to give the Indian children the mother by finding they so needed. Father Lowdell was informed that before the question of his letter a teacher had been appointed, the matter in the case of a vacancy which occurred, the Department would bear in mind his suggestion as to the desirability of employing a female teacher. The Indians objected to Mr. O'Brien, and went so far at one time as to prevent his entering the school. In July last Chief Joseph Partridge informed the Department that at a general

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meeting the Indians enquired why Miss Sophia Dunn, the teacher engaged by them the previous week, had not been appointed. The Department felt that owing to the opposition of the Indians it was not desirable to continue Mr.O'Brien in the position and that if the school was to be made a benefit to the band it would be necessary to employ the person whom the Indians desired as a teacher, provided that she had the necessary qualifications. The Chief was accordingly told that Miss Dunn should forward through the Agent to the Department any testimonials and certificates which she had. Miss Dunn's certificate of qualification was accordingly forwarded to the Department, together with testimonials from the Rev.Father Chain and Mr.Inspector Scott, of Renfrew. These were satisfactory and Miss Dunn was engaged, her duties as teacher to begin on the 24th instant. Her salary is placed at $250 a year. $50 less than was paid Mr.O'Brien.

Yours very truly,

Hon.R.W.Scott,

Acting Superintendent General

of Indian Affairs.

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AUG 27 1896
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Lac La Croix Aug 19/96

Taylor Reeder Esq

Dear Sir

I wish to send my three daughters to the Indian school when this Summer opens it and I would like to have your permission to do so. Also I would like to know what I will have to pay per month & to whom I will pay. The chief & trustees are satisfied that I should send my children to their school but I would like to have your sanction also. Kindly reply at your earliest convenience.

and Oblige. Yours.

S. Sunstrum

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A. M.

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Department of Indian Affairs.

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Ottawa, ... 189 .....

~~MEMO.~~

Canada Atlantic
Aug 25 1896

Do

Indian Agent Burnett
Golden Lake

Referring to Department
letter fourth August cancel
Rufus Dunns appointment
until you hear further from
Department.

Sgd H. R.

Chief Indian Dept

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OTTAWA 25th August I896

Sir,

I beg to confirm the following telegram which was sent you to-day:-

"Referring to Department's letter fourth August, cancel "Miss Dunn's appointment until you hear further from De- "partment."

It has been represented upon Mr O'Brien's behalf ~~On account of Mr O'Brien claiming~~ that he was engaged as teacher of the Golden Lake school for one year, which ~~and as the Department does not wish to account~~ will not expire until the 3**I**st October next he may ~~therefore~~ be kept on as teacher of this school until that date.

of which fact the Department were not aware when cognizant I

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Superintendent
of Indian Affairs.

E.Bonnett,Esq:

Indian Agent,

Golden Lake, Ont:

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approve Revd

Ottawa 26th August 1896

Sir,-

I beg to confirm the following telegram which was sent you ~~Yesterday~~ to-day:- ~~Direction of the Dep. Supt. Genl. Indian Affairs~~

"Referring to Department's letter fourth August, cancel "Miss Dunn's appointment until you hear further from "Department".

Sent Wed

It has been represented upon Mr O'Brien's behalf that he was engaged as teacher of the Golden Lake school for one year which will not expire until the 31st October next, of which fact the Department was not before cognizant, and he may therefore be kept on as teacher of this school until that date. At the expiration of which time you should report to the Department when you will be further advised. The Department regrets the position in which it places Miss Dunne but it will endeavor to find her another school.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt: Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

E.Bennett, Esq:
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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From Golden Lake 26

To H Reed

Ottawa

School opened Monday as ordered, have been notified by agent to close this morning until further notice what is the reason. Please reply at once

Sophia M Dunn

Teacher

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SCHOOL BRANCH

Via CANADA ATLANTIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S TELEGRAPH

To

SCHOOL BRANCH
SEP 1 1896

OTTAWA 26th August 1896

Miss Sophie M.Dumn,

Teacher

Golden Lake,Ont:

Have written Agent re school.See him.

(Chg:Indian Dept:)

HAYTER REED.

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WITHOUT PREJUDICE.

15-2205

Telephone 62
Office, Main St.
177473
Renfrew September 5th, 1896.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 8 1896

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McGarry & Grout

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Parliament Buildings,
OTTAWA.

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ACTING SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

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Will you be kind enough to intimate what steps you desire should ensue upon the representations of the Indian deputation referred to ?

Hayter Reed

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

Dept Indian Affairs,
Sept 10th, 1896.

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Sirs. After I had decided to refer this letter to the Dept - Supt-Genl. before signing it. - I was unfortunately absent from my office & was not able to do so until the 14th inst. when I returned it with others for signature

OTTAWA 14th September 1896

EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Gentlemen,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant relative to the claim of Miss Sophia Dumne for salary as teacher of the Indian school at Golden Lake; and in reply I beg to say that Miss Dumne has been appointed to take charge of this school upon the termination on the 31st of October next, of the engagement of the present teacher Mr O'Brien, and the Department's Agent, to whom Miss Dumne is referred, has been so advised.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt: Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

Messrs Grout & McGarry
Solicitors
Renfrew, Ont:

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ALSO TO THE DATE OF THIS LETTER

ADDRESS REPLY TO THE
DEPUTY SUPT GENERAL OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OTTAWA.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OTTAWA 17th September 1896

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

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Sir,

In connection with previous correspondence relative to the Golden Lake school,I beg to say,by direction,that Mr O'Brien,the present teacher should be notified that his services as teacher will not be required after the expiration of his present engagement,which terminates on the 31st October next.

~~Miss Duane might then take charge of this school.~~

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

E.Bennett,Esq:
Indian Agent,
Castile,Ont:

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Submitted for the approval of
the Acting Superintendent
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OTTAWA I5th Sept:-96

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SCHOOL BRANCH.

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Gentlemen,

I beg to say that my letter of the I4th instant relative to the appointment of Miss Sophie Dunn as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian school, was I regret to say, sent you in error and I wish to cancel it. However, I hope to be able very shortly to arrange matters to Miss O'Brien's satisfaction..

Your obedient servant,

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Telephone 62

Offices Main St

Renfrew October 2nd, 1896.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS OCT 3 1896

WITHOUT PREJUDICE.

DEAR SIR / - re Dunne.-

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She has been paying for her board ever since last August waiting for some arrangements with the Department, and becoming tired of this she has finally instructed us to enter an action in the Exchequer Court to recover the sum mentioned in our letter of 5th, $250.

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Dy. Supt. General,

Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 5 1896

Sault Algoma Sept. 29th 1896

SCHOOL BRANCH
OCT 6 1896

Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 17th inst. No. 15-2205 stating that Mr O'Brien Teacher of the Golden Lake School (Indians) be notified that his services as Teacher terminate on 31st Oct. next. I have done so. but I have to tell you that I engaged O'Brien for to teach in the said School for 1896. but it appears. I have no say in the appointing of a Teacher for said School. would you please let me know if it is Miss Dennis that is to get the School, or. any other Female Teache. as I can get a qualified one & a good one at that. My objection to Dennis girl is, that it would be granting too much of a Concession. (well I might say to Sunstrum as it is him is running the affairs) to the Indians which was your own remark in previous Correspondance if they, this point. in future they will not take no for an answer for any matter they wish to press. please answer by return of Mail

I am Sir,
Your Obedient Servant,
E. BENNETT,
Indian Agent, Castle P.O. Ont.

To
The Deputy for Superintendent General of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Ottawa 9th October 1906

Gentlemen,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant in reference to the case of Miss Dunne; and in reply I beg to say that Miss Dunne has been offered a position as teacher of the West Bay Indian School at a salary of $250:00 per annum and the Department is awaiting her reply to its offer.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt: Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

Messrs. McGarry & Grout,
Barristers, Colicitors, &c.
Renfrew, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 12 1896

SCHOOL BRANCH
OCT 13 1896

South Algoma Oct. 7th 1896

Sir

You will see by the Teachers returns that there is a small average, not the Teachers fault. the Indians are advised to keep the children at Home. to let the Dept. see that they will gain their point the Indians are not complying with the Rules & Regulations of the Band with regard to sending the children to school I warned ones of the Indians on 3rd inst to send the children to school. but when they are encouraged. they will continue and have their own way

Read under a reply see Mr Scott's letter to Calgary & Grant 14/10

I am Sir.
Your Obedient Servant,
E. BENNETT,
Indian Agent, Castile P.O. Ont.

To
The Deputy for Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

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EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH

Ottawa, 15th Oct., 1890.

Memorandum.

SCHOOL BRANCH
OCT 16 1890

Referring to the papers in connection with the Golden Lake School, I would say that the present teacher's name is John O'Brien.

D.S.G.I.A.

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See enclosed letter under date

OTTAWA 24th October 1896

Gentlemen,

In further reference to the case of Miss Dunne I beg to say that the present teacher of the Golden Lake School will be leaving on the 31st instant and if Miss Dunne still wishes to obtain the appointment she may do so after the date above mentioned.

The Department regrets the misunderstanding that has occurred in regard to this matter through the engagement of the present teacher only terminating on the 31st instant instead of the 30th June, the close of the school year.

It is, of course, understood that if Miss Dunne accepts the position, she thereby relinquishes any claim made by her against the Department.

Your obedient servant,

(sgd) R. A. Scott

~~Secretary~~ Supt: Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

Messrs McGarry & Grout,

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Renfrew, Ont:

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SCHOOL BRANCH
OCT 26 1896

Sirs

When I was in Ottawa you promised to write & let me know what you were going to do about the agent here also if we were going to get our teacher. But you did not do so.

Now I want to know at once what you are going to do about this matter. We must have a change of teachers as the present teacher is of no use, the children wont attend school while he is teaching This year will be up the first of next month, and we want to know if we can have our teacher at that time.

I think it is time that we should have the teacher we want & not have the agent run us & every thing about the reserve. If we cannot have the teacher we want, It would be better not to have any. Kindly reply at once and address to Goldrun Lake P.O. for if you send it to the Agent I wont receive it for three weeks. until he comes down next time. Yours Frank Baptiste

(Chief)

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OTTAWA 27th October I896--------

Chief

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It is hoped that if Miss Dunne accepts the position that the school will be well attended.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

Chief Frank Baptiest
Golden Lake P.O.
Ont:

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SCHOOL BRANCH

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 27th October 1886

Sir,

Referring to my letter of the I7th ultimo in which you were informed that the services of Mr O'Brien, the present teacher of the Golden Lake school would not be required after the 3Ist instant, I beg to say that Miss Dunne has been offered this position.

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Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

A.Bennett, Esq:

Indian Agent
Castile, P.O.
Golden Lake Ont:

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Renfrew September, 5th, 1896. *189*

WITHOUT PREJUDICE.

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Also to the date of
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Renfrew October 2nd, 1896. *189*

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(Sgd.) McGarry & Grout.

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Dy. Supt. General,
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Renfrew, October 10th, 1896.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. OCT. 26 1896

SCHOOL BRANCH OCT 29 1896

Hon.R.W.Scott,

Acting Minister of Interior,

OTTAWA.

Hon. Sir, re Dunne.

On September 5th we wrote Mr.Hayter Reed,Supt.Genl.of Indian Affairs,regarding the engagement of Miss Sophia Dunne as teacher at the Golden Lake Indian School,and again,on the 2nd October,we notified him that Miss Dunne wished a settlement.

To the former letter we received two replies,dated respectively,September 14th and 17th,and as we have heard nothing from Mr.Reed since we must now ask you,as head of this Department,to have the matter settled one way or the other.

Miss Dunne is idle since August and has no means of support. She cannot now get a school until after the Christmas Vacation and we think the Department should pay her the sum demanded.

Kindly let us hear from you.

Yours truly,

McGarry & Grout

The matter—
The teacher was
been engaged in
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the Petition—

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OCT 29 1896

Renfrew October, 24, 1896. 189

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN.

OCT. 26 1896

Dear Sir,-

Miss Dunne instructs us to say that she cannot accept a school at West Bay, Manitoulin Island, as suggested in yours of the 8th inst. She was engaged to teach at Golden Lake and commenced her duties there. Without any reason she was removed after teaching a few days.

You then promised to arrange matters for her, and unless she is paid $150.00 within ten days we must bring action

Yours truly

Hayter Reede, Esq.,
Deputy Sup't Gen'l Indian Affairs
OTTAWA.

McGarry & Grout.

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Hon. R.W. Scott,
Acting Sup't Gen'l Indian Affairs
OTTAWA.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 2 1896

Hon. Sir,- re Miss Dunne.

Replying to your letter of Oct. 24th inst., I beg to state that Miss Dunne is still ready and willing to accept the position of teacher at Golden Lake School but desires before entering on her duties to know what the terms will be.

As you are aware she has now been idle since August owing to the action of the Department and we presume that you will forward cheque for $50.00 to repay her time so lost.

We explained in previous letters her position and we trust that the matter will now be finally arranged

Respectfully yours

McGarry & Grout

What is Salary?

Mr O'Brien was in receipt of $300 per annum - Miss Dunne was to receive $250. per an -

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OTTAWA I2th November I896

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of the I2th ultimo I beg to say that the terms of the proposed engagement of Miss Dunne as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian school,are that she shall be paid at the rate of $250 per annum for the present and should the Separate School Inspector report favourably of her work,the Department will be willing to consider an increase in her salary.

While again regretting that Miss Dunne has been disappointed in securing employment at the time she seemed to have expected it,owing to the engagement made with the late teacher for a period of one year,which only expired on the 3Ist ultimo. Now that the vacancy has arisen the Department offers the position for her acceptance on condition,however, that should she accept it no claim must be made for the past.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) R. A. Scott.

Acting Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs:-

Messrs Grout & McGarry,

Solicitors &c

Renfrew,Oht:

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 16 1896

Egmont, Nov. 14 1896,

Dear Mr. Bennett,

You may say to the Department that I know of no girl that will give better satisfaction in the Indian School at Golden Lake than Miss Minnie Carey. She holds her Certificate, as well as a Commercial Certificate. Moreover she is very attentive to the little children & this is what the Indian children need — Her knowledge of music will be a great help to these Indian Children who love singing so much —

Yours faithfully P. J. Dowdall

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Edmonds Nov 10th 1896

Miss Minnie Casey is a very capable teacher - hard-working, painstaking and faithful to duty - She holds a 3rd class certificate. also a Commercial Certificate. She has a fair knowledge of French and a good knowledge of Music, vocal and instrumental - I can conscientiously recommend her as a Teacher both from my knowledge of her training she has received and of the success that has marked her actual work in the teaching of Pennault Settlement School -

P J Dowdall
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SCHOOL BRANCH
NOV 17 1896

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 18 1896

Lake

Sarnia Nov 12 th 1896

Sir

I was at the Golden Lake Reserve on 7th inst none of the Indians were there the most of them were away hunting, I saw the Chief. he came to see me with Regard to the Teacher, Miss Dunne why she is not teaching there, there was no School last month. as there was no Teacher there. I understand that Miss Dunne is Teaching in another School I had a letter from Father Dawdal which I enclose retating to hiring Miss Casey. which would be a very good appointment if it Can be done I would be well satisfied. if my recomendation would Count for any thing

please answer Immediately and advise me what to do

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SECRETARY BRANCH
NOV 17 1896
DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 17 1896

Fels Goldrun Lake Nov 16/96

Slayter Reede Esq

Sir.

When I received your letter of Oct 27th I wrote Miss Dunn asking her where she was to open school as I had been advised that she had been offred this school, She replied saying she had not been offered the school excepting a school in Manitoban Leland.

Would you Kindly let me know why you said she was offred the school when she was not. Also When our school is to open again Have you hired Miss Dunn Since writing me last.

Kindly answer at Once

And

Oblige

Chief Frank Baptiste.

Goldrun Lake.

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 17th November 1896

Chief,

In reply to your letter of the 16th inst: I bgg to say that as you were previously informed Miss Dunne was offered the position of teacher of the Golden Lake School from the 1st Inst:,which offer has since been re-newed through her solicitors and up to the present time she has not signified her intention of accepting the position. The Department will await her reply till the end of this week,after which other arrangements will be made towards securing a teacher for the Golden Lake school.

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c-

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

Chief Frank Baptiest
Golden Lake,
Ont:

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EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH,

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 17th November 1896

Sir,

In reply toyour letter of the 13th instant I beg to say that the Department is awaiting Miss Dunne's reply as to whether she is prepared to take charge of the Golden Lake School or not,and it has no intimation that she is otherwise employed. However,should she decline to accept the position the recommendation of Father Dowdall and yourself for the appointment of Miss Casey will have great weight with the Department. Miss Dunne will be given till the end of the week to come to a final decision,and you will then be further advised.

I.U.C.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

E.Bonnet,Esq:
Indian Agent
Castile,Ont:

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McCarthy Osler

Solicitors

Renfrew, Ont:

Re appointment Miss Dunne to Golden Lake School, please wire acceptance or refusal of position.

(Chg: Ind: Dept)

HAYTER REED.

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Ottawa, 28th Nov., 1896.

Memorandum for the

Acting Supt. General of Indian Affairs.

I have just received word from McGarry & Grout that Miss Lunn accepts the position of teacher at the Golden Lake Reserve.

Deputy Supt. General

of Indian Affairs.

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 28th November 1896

Gentlemen,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram of yesterday's date which reads as follows:-

"Miss Dunne accepts position. When will she commence?" and in reply I beg to say that the Department would like Miss Dunne to proceed to Golden Lake at Once and re-open the school and the Agent has been instructed to place her in charge of the school.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

Messrs Grout & McCarry
Solicitors &c
Renfrew,Ont:

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 26th November 1896

Chief,

In reference to official letter of the I7th inst: I beg to inform you that Miss Dunne has accepted the position of teacher of the Golden Lake school and has been instructed to proceed there at once to open the school.

The Department would be glad if you would render her all the assistance in your power to make the school a success.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

Chief Frank Baptiest
Golden Lake
Ont:

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SCHOOL BRANCH.

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OTTAWA 28th November 1895

Sir,

In reference to official letter of the I7th inst: I beg to say that Miss Dunne has accepted the position of teacher of the Golden Lake school and has been instructed to proceed there at once to open the school. You will please see that she is placed in charge and render her any assistance in your power which she may require.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

E.Bennet,Esq:
Indian Agent
Castile,Ont:

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SCHOOL BRANCH.

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 11th December 1896

Sir,

I have to request that you will be good ebough to inform the Department whether Miss Dunne is teaching the Golden Lake school,and if so,when she took charge.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

E.Bennett,Esq:
Indian Agent
Castile,Ont:

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DEPARTMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
MINISTER'S OFFICE.
OTTAWA.

Memo. for Mr. Reed:

Will Mr. Reed kindly read the enclosed correspondence and advise Mr. Scott on the situation.

Ottawa, 19th August, 1896.

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SCHOOL BRANCH
DEC 22 1896

Ottawa,19th August,1896.

Dear Mr.Scott,-

I return the notes addressed by Mr.Thomas Mackie and Mr.M.Mackay to the Premier,and which you sent me to-day. In connection therewith I beg to inform you that Mr.O'Brien,who is referred to,took charge of the Indian School at Golden Lake last November. He was nominated for the position by the Agent and recommended by the School Inspector. He succeeded Miss Quinn,who resigned. Shortly after Mr.O'Brien's appointment a letter was received from the Rev.P.J.Dowdall,of Eganville,suggesting that the school should be put under a female teacher who would be more apt to give the Indian children the motherly training they so needed. Father Dowdall was informed that before the receipt of his letter a teacher had been appointed,but that in the event of a vacancy again occurring the Department would bear in mind his suggestion as to the advisability of engaging a female teacher. The Indians objected to Mr.O'Brien,and went so far at one time as to prevent his entering the school. In July last Chief Joseph Partridge informed the Department that at a general

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meeting the Indians enquired why Miss Sophia Dunn,the teacher engaged by them the previous winter,had not been appointed. The Department felt that owing to the opposition of the Indians it was not desirable to continue Mr.O'Brien in the position and that if the school was to be made a benefit to the band it would be necessary to employ the person whom the Indians desired as a teacher, providing that she had the necessary qualifications. The Chief was accordingly told that Miss Dunn should forward through the Agent to the Department any testimonials and certificates which she had. Miss Dunn's certificate of qualification was accordingly forwarded to the Department,together with testimonials from the Rev.Father Chain and Mr.Inspector Scott,of Renfrew. These were satisfactory and Miss Dunn was engaged,her duties as teacher to begin on the 24th instant. Her salary is placed at $250 a year, $50 less than was paid Mr.O'Brien.

Yours very truly,

Hayter Reed

Hon.R.W.Scott,

Acting Superintendent General

of Indian Affairs.

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Ottawa, ... *189*

MEMORANDUM.

Golden Lake School

Miss Reuben

Has this Day taken

Charge - Pleased -

certain Rules

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MEMORANDUM.

Mr Reed

Golden Lake School

Ruth Reuben

Has duly Examination taken Charge - Pleases - certain

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SCHOOL BRANCH DEC 22 1896

Ottawa, 28th Nov., 1896.

EXAMINED SCHOOL BRANCH.

Memorandum for the

Acting Supt. General of Indian Affairs.

I have just received word from McCarry & Grout that Miss Dunn accepts the position of teacher at the Golden Lake Reserve.

Hayter Reed

Deputy Supt. General

of Indian Affairs.

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South Algoma August 31st 1896.

Honoured Sir

In reply to a letter from Deputy. H. Reed, Indian Affairs Ottawa. he says it has been represented that Mr O'Brien was engaged as Teacher for one year. which will not expire until 31st Oct. next. And then to notify the Dept. I would ask your Honour to leave him in the said Indian School until the last of December. as it would be unjust to turn him out then. now Deputy Reed claims that the Dept. was not cognizant of the Teacher being engaged for a year. You will see by letter from Dept. to me. date 31st Oct. 1895. No. 15 2205. where the Dept. approved of Mr O'Briens Certificate and appointed him to take charge of the School. now there would be no trouble about the Teacher only for Inspector McRae, who visited the Reserve on Jan 11th ~~Inst.~~ x 1896 at first there was no fault with O'Brien. but when making his report to Dept. he did not suit. but it was plain to be seen that it was Sam Sunstrum Junr. he was favouring. You will see by letter to me from Dept. January 22nd 1896 No. 169-863 where he recommended the Teacher's engagement should terminate on 31st march. 96 also in same letter to me the Dept. says I would not be limited to engage Miss Dunn. the Teacher (whom Sam Sunstrum was trying to get in the School) as this would be too great a Concession to grant to Indians. (they were doing their best to get her in to the School to please Sunstrum who attempted to usurp functions as regards the appointment of Teachers which the Dept. reserves to itself alone the right to exercise in my letter to the Deputy of August 1st inst I called his attention to that part of the letter above mentioned. but it appears it was no use as the Deputy notified me to notify Miss Dunn to take charge of the School on the 24th inst. I am glad that the School is so arranged as to have O'Brien Teach., as it will teach the Indians & others that they Cannot Rule as they wish to

I am &c.
Your Obedient Servant,
E. BENNETT,
Indian Agent, Castle P.O. Ont.

Hon. R. W. Scott.
Acting Minister of Interior
House of Commons Ottawa

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Ottawa
Jan 9 1896

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DEC 26 1899
EDUCATIONAL BRANCH
SCHOOL BRANCH.

Dear Sir

Referring to the Teacher
in the Indian School, from whom
I have received
I have come to the decision
that I will be in the interest
of the School that I should
be relieved at Christmas
if agreeable to the Department
to the Inspector may be
given consideration.

Yours

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

Ottawa, October 9th, 1894.

Sir,

Advertin to our conversation of yesterday's date I beg to say that I regret that no funds are as yet available for the painting and fencing of the new School house on the Golden Lake Reserve.

With regard to the matter of irregular attendance I beg to call your attention to the amendment to Section 11 of the Indian Act (137) under which the Governor General in Council may make regulations for the compulsary attendance of children at school and to say that it would be well to advise the parents of such children of the existence of such an Act and that the same will be enforced if necessary.

Your obedient servant

Acting Deputy Supt. General
of Indian Affairs.

E.Bennett, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Castile,
Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 29 1896

SCHOOL BRANCH
DEC 29 1896

Lake Algoma Dec. 24th 1896

Sir

In reply to yours of 11th inst No. 15-2205 asking if Miss Dunne is teaching and when she took charge. I have to inform you that she took charge of the Golden Lake School on the first week of December. (this present month,

Not Copied to note

I am Sir your obdt Servt
E Bennett Indian Agent
Castle P.O
Ont

To the Deputy for Supt. Genl
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Eganville, Dec 26, 1895

Hayter Reid Esq.
Deputy Supt Genl
Of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

DEC. 28 1895
INDIAN SCHOOL BRANCH

Dear Sir:-

Knowing that the Golden Lake school is vacant and as you promised in May 1895 that if a vacancy should occur I'd have the first chance. Therefore it is my desire to teach there as it is much nearer home than the school in which I taught last year.

Please answer by return of Mail and oblige Yours respectfully
Mary E. Sinnott

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EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH

THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT

OTTAWA 4th January 1897

Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ulto: applying for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake Indian school; and in reply I beg to say that you have evidently been misinformed, as this school is in charge of a teacher and there is no immediate proppect of a vacancy.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt :Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

Miss Mary E.Gorman,
Eganville, Ont:

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Schools
ask aid
Indians
Goldstream

Goldstream Lake Jan 11/09

Hayter Reade Esq

Dear Sir.

There is two
Salteshien families here wishes
to send their children to our
school as there is no school near
them but ours. Now we are all willing
they should come & also the tracker
But we want your permission &
also we want to know what to
charge each scholar per month
& what we will do with the
money will it be used for our
school supplies or send to the
department.

Kindly Reply immediately

Frank T Baliss Chief

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OTTAWA I4th January I897

Sir,

The Department has been informed that there are two white families at Golden Lake who wish to send their children to the Indian school there and that the Indians are willing that they should attend. If there is no good reason to the contrary these children may be taken. In such cases a fee of 50 cents a month is charged for each white child attending an Indian school, which should be ~~paid~~ collected quarterly and sent to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

E.Bennett,Esq:
Indian Agent
Castile,Ont:

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THIS LETTER HAS BEEN SENT OTTAWA ~~11th~~ 18th January 1897

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SCHOOL BRANCH.

Chief,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the IIth instant relative to the desire of white children to attend the Golden Lake Indian school; and in reply I beg to say that the Department would like all communications of this nature forwarded through its local Agent, Mr E.Bennett, who has been advised of its wishes in the above matter.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs:-

Chief Frank Baptiest

Golden Lake Ont:-

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Golden Lake
June 10th 1894

I hereby certify that three white
Children attended the Indian
School here during the
months of February and
March,

Sophia M. Munro
Teacher.

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Indian Office.

Castile. June 10th 1897

MEMO

SCHOOL BRANCH JUN 18 1897

I enclose three dollars being
for tuition of three white children
who attended the Indian School at
Golden Lake during the months of
February & March. as per statement
from Teacher of said Indian School

I am Sir Your Obdt. Servt
E Bennett Indian Agent
Castile
Ont

To
The Deputy for Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

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OTTAWA
14 JUNE 1897

No. 5621

Original, for the Depositor.

EXAMINED
SCHOOL BRANCH
JUN 18 1897

Bank of Montreal,

$ 3.00 189

Received from C. Burnett

on account of Indn. funds

the sum of Three Dollars,

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Pro Manager.

Ent'd. B

BANK OF MONTREAL.

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No. 5621

Duplicate, for Department.

OTTAWA
14 JUNE 1897

ACCOUNTANT'S
JUN 18 1897
BRANCH

Bank of Montreal,

$ 3.00 189

Received from C. Burnett

on account of Indn. funds

the sum of Three Dollars,

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Pro Manager.

Ent'd. B

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Indian Office.

DEPT OF IND. AFFS. JUL 21 1897

Castile. July 16 at 1897

Ack 4 Sep

MEMO.

Ackd 2 Sept

Sir

Enclosed is Four dollars & 50 ¢ being money for Tuition for three white children who attended at the Golden Lake Indian School during the June Q.

I am Sir Your Obd't Serv't.
E Bennett
Indian Agent
Castile P.O
Ont

For the Dep. for Sec. Genl
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Original, for the Depositor.

OTTAWA 20 JULY 189

Bank of Montreal,

$ 4.50

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Received *from* E. Bennet

on account of Indn. funds

the sum of Four 50/100 *Dollars,*

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd. B

Pro Manager.

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Golden Lake Oct 5th 1897

Supt Genl Indian Affairs
Ottawa

OCT 7 1897 DEPT

Sir

My term as Teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School will expire shortly. I beg you to consider me as an applicant for that situation for 1898. I have every thing in order to show better results for the comming year. I have had no trouble whatever since comm'g here and beg to state that it is the wish of all concerned that I remain. I have also a promise from the Department to retain my services for 1898 if I got favorable reports for this year.

I beg you to give the matter favorable consideration. An early answer will be regarded as a great favor as it is a matter of moment to me

Your obedient servant
Sophia M Dunne

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OTTAWA, 21st October, 1897

Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant; and in reply I beg to say that the Department will be glad to avail itself of your services as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School till the 30th June 1898, which is the close of the current fiscal school year, and your application for re-appointment at that date will receive further consideration.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

Miss Sophia M. Dunne,

Golden Lake

Ont:-

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DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 1 1897

Sarah Algona Nov. 25th 1897

Sir

I enclose one dollar & fifty Cents being for Tuition for three white children who attended the Golden Lake Indian School during the month of September as per vouches

Acct 1st
acknd Dec
29 1897

I am Sir
Your obdt. Servt.
E. Bennett Indian Agent
Castle P. O
Ont

To The Deputy for Supt. Genl.
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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I herein beg to state that three Indian children attended school during the month of September.

Nov 19th 97

Sophia M. Lemmens
Indian School
Golden Lake

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RECEIVER GENERAL'S BRANCH DEC 1 1897

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd. B

Pro Manager.

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Ans 15th

Bruce Algma Dec 9th 1897

Acknowledged 13th December, 1897.

Sir

I see by yours of 29th ult that I did not send the full amount which should be one dollar & 50 cts instead I only sent one 25 cts I enclose the 25 cts. I can assure you it was a mistake

I am Sir Your obdt Servt
E Bennett Indian Agent
Castle P.O

DEC 15 1897

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Explain W Bennett Esq
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Bank of Montreal,

$ 0.25

OTTAWA 13 DEC 1897 189

Received *from* E Bennett

on account of Indn funds

the sum of twenty five cents **Dollars,**

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Pro Manager.

Ent'd

No. 8185

Duplicate, for Department. 193631

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Bank of Montreal,

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OTTAWA 13 DEC 1897 189

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With Cheque.

Ottawa, 13th January, 1898.

Sir,

I enclose herewith cheque No 319 in your favour for 25¢ . In explanation of this payment I have to inform you that you forwarded ~~xxxx~~ $1.50 not $1.25 with your letter of the 25th November and therefore the 25¢ which you sent with your letter of the 9th ultimo, was an over-payment.

Your obedient servant.

Secretary.

E. Bennett, Esqr.,
Indian Agent,
Castile P.O., Ont.

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Acknowledged 24th January, 1898

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JAN 25 1898

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MEMO.

Sir

Enclosed is Four dollars & fifty Cents being for tuition for three white children taught in the Indian School at Golden Lake.

December 31st

I am Sir your Obt. Servt
E Bennett Indian Agent
Castile P.O
Ont

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W. Elliott to enclose to Examiner Sept.

Ans Sept 1st

To Secy Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Bank of Montreal,

OTTAWA
24 JAN 1898

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Signed in Triplicate,

O. Daly

Pro Manager.

Ent'd. B

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OTTAWA
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Pro Manager.

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Forwarded

Sarnia Algoma Feb. 17th 1898

Sir

I visited the Golden Lake Reserve on Saturday 12th inst to visit the School but found the School House locked. I made inquiries from one of the Indians what was the cause he said the Children did not Come in the morning the Teachers then went home, it was a very Stormy & Cold day. on the first Saturday in march I will send returns for January & Feb.

Your Obdt Servt.
E Pennett Indian Agent
Pontiac P. O
Ont.

DEPT OF INDIAN AFF
FEB 21 1898

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Ack'd 198317

Golden Lake.
May 4th/1889.

Mr. E Bennett
Indian Agent

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 8 1889
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Enclosed please find
$3.00 (three dollars) for the
Interpreter & Mr Sunshine
two children for the Lunch on
I also beg to inform you that
those children have ceased to
attend the Indian School. As
there are no rules in attendance now
yours respectfully D. M. Dumouchel

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Bank of Montreal,

OTTAWA
16 MAY 1898

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Received *from* C. Bennett

on account of Indian Funds

the sum of Three Dollars,

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

O. A. Ing

Pro Manager.

Ent'd. CY

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Duplicate, for Department.

BANK OF MONTREAL.

Bank of Montreal,

OTTAWA
16 MAY 1898

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Ottawa, 5 Mar. 1898

MEMO. Inspector Prendergast spoke very highly of the work of the teacher of the Golden Lake school.

H. C. Ross.

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Golden Lake
May 23 1900

To
The Deputy Supt Genl
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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SCHOOLS.

Sir

Having entered on the last quarter of the school year I beg to be considered an applicant for the school for the comming year

I am pleased to inform you that all as far as I

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can learn. are satisfied with
my work. Should your
answer be favorable. I shall
do all in my power to
further the intrests of those
concerned. Thanking you for
this favore past.

I remain Yours respectfully

Sophia M Dunne

Indian Teacher

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Ex.

Ottawa, 31st May, 1898.

Madam :

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25rd instant, stating your desire to continue in your present position as teacher of the Golden Lake School.

In reply I am glad to be able to inform you that your services have been so satisfactory that the Department has no desire to make any change in the position held by you.

Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) J. D. McLean

Secretary.

Miss Sophia M. Dunne,

Golden Lake,

Ontario.

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Golden Lake
Mar 17. 1899

DEPT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 18 1899

Deputy Supt Gen of Indian Affairs

SCHOOLS.
MAY 19 1899

Sir

Having entered
on the closing quarter of the
school year. I beg to inform
you that I am desirous of
holding the Golden Lake
Indian School for another
year. Should it please

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you to give my application
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favorable consideration. I shall
continue to do all in my
power to further the interests
of all concerned. Thanking
you for all favors of the
past terms.

I am Your
obedient Servant

Sophia M Dunne

Poacher

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OTTAWA, 19th May, 1899

Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th instant; and in reply I beg to say that the Department will be glad to continue your services as teacher of the Golden Lake for the year 1899-1900.

Your obedient servant,

D. STEWART
Asst Secretary

Miss Sophia M. Dunne,
Teacher Indian school,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, 10th October, 1899.

Memorandum Mr. McLean,

Please note that Miss L. Casey, of Eganville, is to be appointed teacher of the Indian school at Golden Lake in the event of Miss Sophia Dunne's resigning, as I understand she is about to do. Miss Casey , I am informed, holds a third class certificate.

Arthur Vetton

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Egansville Oct. 31/[illegible]

To Dep. Sup. Gen. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

Respected Gentleman:-

Knowing that a vacancy is about to occur shortly in the Indian School at Golden Lake and as my brother had an interview with you on Monday of this week concerning it I thought I would also apply by writing I sent an application some time

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ago too and received an encouraging answer saying that if a vacancy should occur my application would receive favorable consideration. I have already had four years experience as a teacher and I promise that if I am engaged to take charge of that school I shall do all in my power to further the welfare of the pupils. I may also add that I can furnish testimonials if necessary

My sister has taught three years and she has also received a number of testimonials so if you would kindly favor either of us we shall be ever so grateful.

Hoping to hear from you as soon

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as possible,
I remain,
Yours very respectfully.

Address { Mary E. Gorman
Eganville
Ont }

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Mi.zd.

OTTAWA,3rd November,1899

Sir,

I am instructed to inform you that in the event of Miss Sophia Dunne resigning her position as teacher of the Indian school at Golden Lake,Miss L. Casey of Eganville is to be appointed her successor.

Please advise the Department whether Miss Dunne has notified you of her intention to resign,as applications are being received here for her place

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

E.Bennett,Esq.
Indian Agent,
Castile,Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. NOV 6 1899

Equerville Nov. 3. 99

Dear Sir,-

As the Goldene Lake school is vacant I thought it about time that my sister who has applyed for it several times should receive recognition as the one to fill the vacancy. She has already applyed to Mr McLean of the Indian Department and wishes you to kindly intercede and secure the position for her. Hoping by return that my sister shall not meet with a disappointment

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this time and that I shall receive an answer at as early a date as possible. I have the honor to be Your obedient servant

Mr. Reid
Ottawa

John Lonnan
Granville

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NOV 6 1899

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Qu'Appelle Nov. 2. 99

Dear Sir,

No doubt by this time you have received my sister's application for the position of teacher in the Indian school at Goldeye Lake.
She was one of the applicants previous to Miss Dumé's applying as she was informed by the Government that she was the only applicant. She has also received several letters from the Government since, one being about two years ago and another I think later.

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petition from the Indians
to reabre the school or any
Connection with the Indian
Agent at Golden Lake.
Trusting dear sir that I
shall receive a favorable reply
at as early a date as possible
I have the honor to be
Your Obedient servant
Jno Gorman
Gandle

Mr. McLean.
Ottawa.

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In one of the letters she was
promised the first vacancy.
however it seems that Miss Dunne
was more fortunate as she succeeded in getting it. If it be
necessary I can get the endorsement of a host of Liberals, and
if Robt Campbell M.P. be
at home I shall send you
his approval of Miss Gorman's filling
the position. Now Mr. McLean
I think it would be very unjust
should Miss Gorman not get
that position as she has been
applying for it for the last five
years and her father and
brother and others of her friends
have been supporters of Mr
Campbell. May I ask you
is it necessary to have a

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV
1899

South Algoma Nov 6th 1899

Sir

On Saturday 4th inst I visited the Reserve, being Council meeting day. And learned that Miss Sophia M Dunne the Teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School was Married on the 30th ult.. You will please advise in the Matter if she will be allowed to teach on, or if another teacher will be appointed, I understand from the Indians of said Reserve that they would like to get a girl by the name of Lavinda Casey the said miss Casey taught school for Several Years and holds a 3rd class certificate she is a splendid girl as I am well acquainted with her father and rest of family Mr. R. J. Scott I P. S for Co Renfrew gives her great Praise, and I am sure will recommend her for the position of Teacher, as she taught under his Jurisdiction, the Indians are getting up a Petition to the Supt Genl of Indian Affairs to have him appointed the said Miss Casey to teach this School, Please answer

I am Sir Your Obdt Servt
T Kennett, Indian Agent
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To Secy for Supt Genl
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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OTTAWA, 9th November, I899

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of yo r letters of the 2nd instant applying on behalf of your sister for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake Indian school; and in reply I beg to say that in the event of the present teacher resigning, her successor has already be en selected.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Asst. Secretary

John GOrman, Esq.
Eganville,
Ont.

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OTTAWA,9th November,1899

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant with further reference to the appointment of a successor to Miss Dunne,teacher of the Golden Lake school,should she resign,and in this connection I beg to refer you to Departmental letter of the 3rd instant.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Asst.Secretary

E.Bennett,Esq.
Indian Agent,
Castile,Ont.

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Pembroke, Ont., November, 11th./99.

Deputy Supt. Of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa,

Dear Sir:-

This is to say that I am well acquainted with Miss M. Sheedy who I understand is an applicant as teacher for the Golden Lake School.

Miss Sheedy has had some 10 years experience as School Teacher, and I am sure a more competent person could not be engaged by your department for the Golden Lake School, and I would be very much pleased if she should be successful in her application,

I have the honor to remain,

Yours truly,

Thomas Murray

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Thomas Mackie,
Lumber Merchant,

216008

Pembroke, 10th Nov. 1899
ONTARIO.

Deputy Supt. General
Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Dear Sir,—

Enclosed you will please find an application from Miss Sheedy as teacher for the Indian Reserve School at Golden Lake as I understand the teacher now there (Miss Dunn) got married a short time & is about to resign.

I think that Miss Sheedy is well qualified for the position & is very well recommended as you will see by the enclosed letters She is a resident of this county & I hope that if a vacancy occurs you will give her the situation.

Yours truly
Thomas Mackie M.P.

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To whom it may concern

Miss Mary Shedy is a very good teacher. She taught in one of our schools for several years and I say only the truth when I state that regret at her departure was abundantly manifested by parents and pupils who gathered about her from all parts of the section on the evening of the last teaching day of '98 to express that regret and to testify by gifts and address and banquet and concert the esteem in which she was held by all. To this I will add that I considered it a duty to be there myself as one deeply interested in the welfare of the school. I repeat Miss Shedy is a good teacher

Rev T. M. Devine

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN
NOV 13 1899

Pembroke. Nov. 11. 99

Deputy Supt. General
Of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Dear Sir,

Having learned that the teacher in the Indian School at Golden Lake intends resigning her position at the close of the present year, I beg to offer myself as an applicant for the situation.

I have had several years experience in the profession and enclose a copy of a letter of recommendation from Rev. F. M. Devine, Osceola. also a

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Letter from Mrs Thos. Murray
of Pembroke, both testifying
to my ability

I shall be willing to accept
the salary usually paid to the
teacher in that School and
should my application be
favorably received will en-
deavor to do my duty

I remain
Yours Rightly

Mary S Reedy

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Letter from Mrs Thos. Murray of Pembroke, both testifying to my ability

I shall be willing to accept the salary usually paid to the teacher in that school and should my application be favorably received will endeavor to do my duty

I remain
Yours Respectfully

Mary S Heady

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INDIAN AFFAIRS. DEPARTMENT NOV 1899

South Algoma Nov. 8th 1899

Sir

in reply to yours of 3rd inst No. 152205 miss Dunne did not notify me of her intention to resign her position as Teacher, on 4th inst, one of the Indians told me that miss Dunne said she would provide a Teacher for them. (the said Indians) so it appears Mrs Cassidy nee miss Dunne, intends to Continue Teaching. when she did not send in her resignations, as I warned her to give three months Notice. it is reported that she is trying to get some favorite in her places. some of her Relatives. as she has a Cousin & Neice who taught School

I await yours reply

I am Sir Your Obdt Servt
E Bennett Indian Agent
Cornwall P.O
Ont

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To Supt for Supt Genl
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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OTTAWA, 15th November, 1899

Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, with enclosures, applying for the position of teacher of the Indian school at Golden Lake; and in reply I regret to say that your application was received too late for consideration in this connection, as in the event of the present teacher resigning, her successor has already been selected.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

Miss Mary Sheedy,
Pembroke,
Ont.

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Golden Lake November 3rd 1899

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 21
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To the Honourable
The Superintendant General
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Honoured Sir

We the undersigned Indians of the Golden Lake Reserve, understand that the present Teacher Miss Sophia McInnis, is to be married in the near future (if she is not married already) We would humbly ask that You would appoint Miss Lucinda Casey, of Eganville, to be our next Teacher, as she has taught for several years and holds a 3rd Class Certificate. Besides she is a Competent Organist. which we would very much Appreciate by granting the prayer of Your Petetioners, You will Confer a Favour on

Chief Narcisse Segmo

Joseph Francis
John Paul Lenisco
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Frank his + mark Vincent
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OTTAWA, 22nd November, 1899

Sirs,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your petition of the 3rd instant, asking ~~xxx~~ in the event of the resignation of the present teacher at Golden Lake, that Miss L. Casey of Eganville be appointed to succeed her; and in reply I beg to say that Miss Casey has been selected as Miss Dunne's successor, should the latter resign.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Secretary

Chief Narcisse Seymo

and other Indians,

Golden Lake,

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SR/

Killaloe Station
Nov 27/99

To The Department of Indian
Affairs
Ottawa

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Dear Sir:

I have been speaking to the Trustees of the Indian reserve school Golden Lake with reference to getting a position as Teacher there. They all appear to be satisfied with me and advised me to write to you.

Any favor you can do me with regard to the same will be greatly appreciated.

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Kindly reply at once and let me know if there is any leader engaged

And oblige

Yours Truly

Mary Harrington

Killaloe Sta.

Ont.

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OTTAWA, 30th November, 1899

Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th instant applying for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake Indian school; and in reply I beg to say that your application was received too late for consideration in this connection, as in the event of the present teacher resigning, her successor has already been selected.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

Asst Secretary

Miss Mary Harrington,
Killaloe Station,
Ont

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Golden Lake
Oct 25th 1899

Mr E Bennett
Indian Agent

Dear Sir

I beg to inform you I wish to resign my position as Teacher of the Indian School at the close of the December Quarter. Accept my thanks for favors received during my term.

Sincerely Yours
S. McDermott

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS. NOV 29 1899

South Algoma Nov. 24th 1899

Sir

I enclose to you Miss Dumms Resignation for Indian School at Golden Lake. the post mark and the Date dont Correspond. and I only received it on 14th inst. I notified Miss Casey [redacted] of her appointment to said Indian School.

I am Sir Your
Obdt Servt
E Bennett Indian Agent
Carnac P.O
Ont

To Depy Supt Genl
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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OTTAWA, 30th November, 1899

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th instant, enclosing the resignation of Miss Dunne as teacher of the Golden Lake school from the 31st December next; and in reply I beg to say that the same is accepted.

The Department would like you to notify Miss Casey, who has been appointed to succeed Miss Dunne, that it would like her to be in readiness to begin work immediately after the Christmas holidays.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary

E. Bennett, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Cormac, Ont.

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OTTAWA, 11th July, 1901.

Sir,

I have to inform you that Mr Separate School Inspector O'Brien, in his report on the Golden Lake school, which is in charge of Miss Lucinda Casey, reports unfavorably on the work done. He says that Miss Casey's certificate has expired and that she is lacking in energy and is by no means a skillful teacher. The Department would like you to inform Miss Casey that unless a decided improvement takes place it will be forced to consider the advisability of making a change.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

E. Bennett, Esq:
Indian Agent,
Cormac,
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Extract (original on file No 146905)
of Agent Bennetts letter. 9th Jan 1902.

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Sir,-

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I have also closed the School,
until such time as the epidemic is
stamped out.

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(sgd) E. Bennett
Indian Agent

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Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA, 12th April, 1902:-

The Secretary:-

I beg to call your attention to Mr Inspector O'Brien's report on the Golden Lake schooll from which you will see that he considers the work of the present teacher, Miss Lucinda Casey, of the crudest kind and although perhaps equal to the average Indian school teacher, he thinks that in such a small school so comfortably quartered and so pleasantly and centrally situated, the Department should experience no difficulty in obtaining the services of a skillful, energetic, Normal-trained teacher for the salary paid, which is $300.00 a year.

Miss Casey has had charge of this school since January 1900 and the children are deriving ~~xxx~~ little, if any benefit from her tuition.

It seems to me that in view of the Inspector's remarks, a change would be advisable after the summer holidays.

On the 10th October 1899 the ~~Minister~~ directed that in case of a vacancy Miss Casey was to be placed in charge of the Golden Lake school. She held a third-class certificate, which has expired, and was warned last July that her work was not satisfactory.

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OTTAWA, 23rd April, 1902

ACCOUNTANT'S BRANCH. APR 25 1902

Sir,

I am directed to request that you will inform Miss Lucinda Casey, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian school, that her services will not be required after the end of the current quarter,-the 30th June next.

Your obedient servant,

D. McLEAN

Secretary

E. Bennet, Esq:

Indian Agent,

Golden Lake Ont:

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Ottawa, 20th May, 1902.

Memorandum :- Mr. McLean.

Please note that the arrangement dispensing with the services of Miss Lucinda Casey at the Golden Lake Indian School is not to be carried out for the present.

Deputy Supt. General.

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H.x'd.

OTTAWA, 26th May, 1902

Sir,

With reference to my letter of the 23rd April last I beg to inform you that the arrangement for dispensing with the services of Miss Luainda Casey, teacher of the Golden Lake School, is not to be carried out for the present.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary

R. Bennet, Esq:-

Indian Agent,

Golden Lake, Ont:-

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[redacted] H. O.

Ottawa, December 26th, 1902.

Memorandum,

Mr. Benson.

Will you please let me know if the present teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School is giving up her position and if so has anything been done regarding her successor ?

Jean Dallé

D. S. G. I. A.

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Department of Indian Affairs,

OTTAWA, 27th December, 1902

The Deputy Superintendent General:-

In reply to your enquiry re teacher of Golden Lake school, I beg to say that no intimation has been received that Miss Lucinda Casey, the present teacher intends to resign and therefore nothing has been done with regard to the appointment of a successor.

In a memorandum of the 12th April last I called the attention of the Department to Mr Separate School Inspector O'Brien's report on this school, which, under Miss Casey's direction, was not doing good work. The Memorandum referred to is turned out herewith from which you will see that the Minister approved of a change beingmade in the teacher and the Agent was informed that her services would not be required after the 30th June last. On the 20th May following Mr Smart directed that the arrangement dispensing with Miss Casey's services was not to be carried out for the present and instructions were given the Agent to this effect. From what I have learned Miss Casey is not likely to be a success at this school.

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Extract from letter of Mr. Latchford, M. P.,

dated Ottawa, December 22nd, 1902.

" I send you enclosed Father Dowdall's letter in
"regard to the Indian School at Golden Lake. It will afford
"both Mr. Wright and myself very great pleasure indeed if the
"Department will appoint Miss Charlotte Casey in succession to
"her sister."

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Extract from letter of Reverend Father Dowdall to Mr. Latchford, M. P., re teacher for Golden Lake Indian School, dated Dec. 22/02.

" Miss Lucinda Casey who is teaching the Indian School
"at the Golden Lake Reserve, eight miles from Eganville, is about
"to resign. As all the Indians of this Reserve are catholics
"I should like you to try to get the position for Miss Lucinda's
"sister, Miss Charlotte Casey, who has a second class certificate,
"made her course at the Sacred Heart Convent here and as a
"musician and one of my parishioners (Golden Lake being also one
"of my Missions) will be able and willing to assist in the Indian
"Church Services and in giving religious instructions to the
"pupils, both at the school and in the church. The Department
"cannot find a more suitable teacher for the school. As the
"Indians are hard to please it will be satisfactory for you to
"know that Miss Charlotte has the written wish of both the Indian
"Trustees and the Indian Agent that she should be given the
"position. I write you to say that if you will interest yourself
"in this matter with the Department at Ottawa I shall send you
"those documents, and if you deem it well Miss Charlotte will go
"down to see you any day you will be ready to attend to this
"business."

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OTTAWA, 30th December, 1902

Sir,

Information having reached the Department that Miss Lucinda Casey, teacher of the Golden Lake school, is about to resign, it is the wish of the Department that in the event of her doing so, her sister Miss Charlotte Casey be appointed to fill the vacancy at the same salary, namely $300.00 a year.

You will be good enough to notify the Department when this change takes place.

Your obedient servant,

(sgd) Frank Pedley

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs,

Martin Mullin, Esq.
Indian Agent,
Killaloe,
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Hx'd.

OTTAWA, October 10th----1905.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 3rd. instant enclosing the return of the Golden Lake School for the quarter ended 30th. ultimo.

It is remarked that the school closed on account of the Indian mission from August 31st. to September 14th. This closing of the school immediately after the summer holidays appears to be uncalled for: and the missionaries should arrange to hold the mission during the summer holidays so as not to interfere with the work, and you will be good enough to request them to do so in future.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Martin Mullin, Esqr.,
Indian Agent,
KILLALOE, Ont.

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Kitkatla Station 25 November 1904

Sir Ther J D M C Lean Esqr

I am writing you concerning the teachers salaries as our present teacher Miss Casey is talking of resigning the golden Jake School and the 2 teachers salaries is all raised those last years it will be hard to get a good teacher at that salary they are all looking for about $350 dollars a year and board is a lot higher now then some years ago I know of some good teachers but dont want to teach for that salary hoping you will find this satisfactory I am Sir your obedient Servant

Martin Brallie Indian Agent

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Ottawa, November 29, 1907.

Sir,-

In reply to your letter of the 25th inst. with reference to the appointment of a teacher for the Golden Lake school, I beg to say that, in the event of Miss Casey resigning, Miss Leone Shruder is to be appointed to the vacancy.

Your obedient Servant,

J D McLean
Secretary.

Martin Mullin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Killaloe, Station, Ont.

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Ottawa, November 29, 1907.

Rev. Sir,-

Referring to our conversation of this morning in regard to the appointment of a teacher for the Golden Lake Indian school I beg to say that, in the event of Miss Casey resigning the position, steps will be taken by the Department to appoint Miss Leona Shruder to the vacancy.at a salary of $350.00 per annum, and Mr. Agent Mullin will be so advised.

Your obedient Servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. Father Dowdall,
Eganville,
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Egansville. Ont.
Dec. 2. 1907

The Secretary:
The Department of Indian Affairs:
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:

I hereby apply for the position of teacher in the Golden Lake Reserve Indian School.

I am twenty one years of age, hold a District Certificate, and have had two years' experience. As I understand that the Department does not at the present feel justified in giving more than $350.00 per. annum, I am willing to accept that salary for the beginning, with the hope that if I give satisfaction in teaching, I may receive the benefit of the Department's best consideration in regard to an increase of salary. I may mention that my application

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is acceptable to Mr. Agent Mullins and to Rev. Father Howdall, Pastor of the Indian Mission, whose testimonial I inclose. From the trustees of the school in which I am now teaching, my best testimonial is, that they are quite unwilling for me to leave.

I am, Sincerely Yours,

Lena Schneider

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Egan City Dec 2, 1907.

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The Secretary,
The Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa,

Dear Sir, Re 152295-1 Swiatek &
Record in favour of Miss Leona Schneider's
application for the position of teacher in
the Indian School at Golden Lake, that of
the many teachers with whom I am ac-
quainted I deem her the best fitted to
succeed Miss Casey in the responsible work
of training the Indian Children of the Reserve
in which the school is situated, and to which
I am attached as pastor.

I am very thankful to the
Department for its kind and prompt at-
tention to my representations in this matter.

Yours Sincerely.

P. J. Dowdall.

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The Secretary.
The Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

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Dear Sir,

I hereby resign my position as teacher of the Golden Lake Reserve Indian School, my resignation to take effect at the close of the present month.

Yours Sincerely.
Charlotte H. Casey.

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Ottawa, December 4, 1907.

Madam,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your resignation as teacher of the Golden Lake school and in reply to say that the same is accepted, to take effect at the end of the current month.

Your obedient Servant,

D.C. McLEAN

Secretary.

Miss Charlotte M. Casey,
Teacher,
Eganville, Ont.

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Ottawa, December 4, 1907.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3nd inst., applying for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake Indian day school, made vacant by the resignation of Miss Casey.

In reply I beg to say that your application is hereby accepted, the salary to be at the rate of $350.00 per annum, payable quarterly, your duties to commence on January 5, next.

You should communicate with Mr. Martin Mullin, the local agent, who will give you any information you may require.

Your obedient Servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Miss Leona Schruder,
Eganville,
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Ottawa, December 4, 1907.

Rev. Sir,-

Referring to official letter of the 29th ult. I beg to say that Miss Schruder, who has applied for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake school, has been notified that her application is accepted.

Your obedient Servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Rev. Father Dowdall,

Eganville,

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Ottawa, December 4, 1907.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that Miss Casey has tendered her resignation as teacher of the Golden Lake school, which has been accepted, and Miss Leona Schrader has been appointed to succeed her at a salary of $350.00 per annum.

Miss Schrader will take charge on January 5, next, and you will be good enough to give her any information she may require as to her duties, etc.

Your obedient Servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Martin Mullin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Killaloe Station, Ont.

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Rillaloe Station November 30 1908

Mr J D McLean Esqr

Sir Sir

I visited the Golden Lake Reserve on the 26 and found the most of the pupils sick they had a bad cough and I inired for D R Reeves and he said that it Was whooping Cough and he said for none of them that had it to come to school and I want you to let me Know if the school will be closed ther is only three or four now to come to school hoping to hear from you soon I am Sir your obedient servant

Martin Mullin Indian agent

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HXO

Ottawa, December 4, 1908.

Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 30th ult. I beg to say that the Department does not consider it necessary to close theGolden Lake school.~~xxkxxx~~

The children afflicted with whooping cough should not be allowed to attend.

Your obedient Servant,

D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Martin Mullin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Killaloe Station, Ont.

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Rossdale Station 27th December 1909

Supt Genl
Dr Sir

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Miss Leona M Schrader
teacher at golden Lake is
asking for a raise of $ 50 dollars
on her salery as all the teachers is
getting more pay this year the teacher
in the public school at golden Lake
is getting $ 400 and I think we
have the best teacher around here
the pupils is doing fine with her and
she takes a great interest in them
hoping you will find this satisfactory
I am sir your obedient servant

Martin Mullin Indian agent

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Ottawa, December 30th, 1909.

Memorandum,-

The Deputy Superintendent General.

Mr, Agent Mullin, of Golden Lake, writes the Department asking that the salary of Miss Lena Schruder, teacher of the Golden Lake school, be increased from $350.00 to $400.00. He says he thinks they have the best teacher in the neighborhood and the pupils are doing well under her guidance and it would be a pity to lose her. Mr. Separate School Inspector Jones, in his reports on this school, states that very good work is being done by her.

It would be a difficult matter to secure the services of as good a teacher, should she leave, even at the increased rate of salary she applies for. Funds are available and I would recommend that her application be granted, the increase to date from the first of January, next.

Dec. 2 owned also recommend increase

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Ottawa, December 3rd, 1910.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th ultimo stating that Miss Lena Schruder, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School, has asked for an increase in salary from $350.00 to $400.00.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will grant this increase to take effect from the 1st instant.

In a great many of our Indian schools the teachers are now giving instruction to the children in plain sewing. The Department would be glad to know if Miss Schruder would be willing to take up this work, and if so the necessary material will be provided.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Secretary.

Martin Mullin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Killaloe Station, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

357820 Battleford Station

18 January 1910

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 21 1910

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 152205 12
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

Referring to your letter of December 8

No.

Sir

Re J D M C Jean Eyre
Concerning raise in teachers salary
of $ 50 I am very thankfull as
she is doing good work and she
is satisfied to take up plain sewing
as far as she knows how by getting
the necessary material I am sir your
obedient servant

Martin Mullin Indian agent

JAN 25

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Extract from teacher's report on the Golden Lake school for the year ending March 31, 1910.

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Irregular attendance is due to two things, indifference on the part of the parents to send their children; unless the teacher wins the love of the pupils and tries to get them interested in their education, they would never attend school; and some of the band are too poor to dress their children properly, this is especially the case in the winter months.

Leona M. Schruder,
Teacher,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Ottawa, April 8th, 1910.

Madam,

Referring to your report on the Golden Lake school for the past year it is noted that you state that some of the Band are too poor to dress their children properly, especially in the winter months.

Before the commencement of the next winter season the Department would be very glad if you would report the cases of children whose parents cannot reasonably be expected to properly clothe them, giving the conditions as they exist, and, if the reasons justify it, the Department will be disposed to assist destitute parents in providing suitable clothing for their children.

Your obedient servant,

Secretary.

Mrss.L. M. Schruder,
Teacher,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT

Golden Lake. Nov. 22nd. 1910

Wm. G. J. McLaughlin
Dept. of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:

If I remain at Golden Lake, next year, what increase may I expect to receive in my salary.

I have not decided as yet if to remain here, but have been advised to do so. The school is in a much better condition at present than it has been for some time, and by changing teachers now, this work would be undone, as it really takes a new teacher one year to become thoroughly acquainted with the manners and customs of the Indian children, and it is very difficult to teach them anything

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until you understand their
peculiarities.

If the Department appreciate
my work here, and wish me to remain,
I think they should give me, One
hundred dollars of an increase. It
is only for one year that I ask
this, so kindly do as you promised
and put in a good plea in my behalf.
Trusting I am not asking too much
of you;

I remain

Yours very respectfully,
Lena M. Schneider.

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Ottawa, November 23, 1910.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott

Miss Schruder, teacher of the Golden Lake school, has applied for an increase of salary. She is now in receipt of $400.00 per annum and has been in charge of this school since January, 1908.

Miss Schruder is the holder of a third class certificate, now expired, and has been very successful in her work. The reports received from the Separaate School Inspector are very satisfactory. In the last he stated that this is one of the best Indian schools in his inspectorate, which a is a large one.

I visited the school last Spring and you will recollect that my report was very favourable. Of the ten schools that I have had the privilege of seeing in operation I have no hesitation in saying that this is the best, with the exception of the Ohsweken village school.

Miss Schruder asks for $500.00 per annum and it is for the Department to say whether any increase shall be granted her and, if so, to what extent.

A. F. MacKenzie.

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Ottawa, November 23, 1910.

Madam,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22 instant in which you apply for an increase in salary as teacher of the Golden Lake School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will be pleased to continue your services and will grant you a present increase of $50.00, making your salary $450.00 per annum. ~~Be good enough to state whether this offer is satisfactory or not.~~

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Leona M. Schruder,
Teacher,
Golden Lake School,
Eganville, Ont.

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I letter Mr. Sutherland

I.X.H

Ottawa, November 23, 1910.

Sir,

I beg to advise you that the Department has decided to increase the salary of Miss Schruder, teacher of the Golden Lake School, to $450.00, and she has been so informed.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Martin Mullin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Killaloe Station, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Kitamaat Station

July 3 1911

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 385884
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

I D H C Indian Agent

Sir

Enclosed find Monthly returns from golden Lake School for June quarter and I would like if the department could find some way to get some of those Pupils to attend School there is about 8 familys that dont attend every well I am Sir your obedient Servant

Martin Mathie Indian agent

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Ex'd

Ottawa, July 6, 1911.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant advising the Department that there are several families on the Golden Lake Reserve who refuse to send their children to school.

In reply I beg to say that the Regulations relating to the Education of Indian Children, a copy of which is being send you herewith, provide that all children between the ages of six and fifteen shall attend school, unless excused for reasons given. Section 7 provides a penalty in the case of parents who neglect to provide for the education of their children. I would ask you, therefore, to be good enough to communicate with these delinquent parents and advise them that the Department must insist upon their children being sent to school and, if they persist in their neglect, you will be good enough to so report and authority will be given you to put Section 7 of the Regulations into effect. I shall be glad to hear from you at a later date.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Martin Mullin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Killaloe Station, Ont.

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Kitlakas Station

July 31 1911

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 3 1911

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 381436
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,-

I D Mc Sean Esqr

sir

Sesra 16 Schuder Teacher of the Golden Lake reserve wants to know if the Scale in regard to dominion schools is the same as provincial schools To open on the 1 September I am sir your obedient servant

Martin Mullin Indian agent

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Ottawa, August 3, 1911.

Sir,

Replying to your letter of the 31st ultimo I beg to say that it will be satisfactory if the Golden Lake Indian School is re-opened on September 1st, next.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Indian Agent,
Killaloe Station, Ont.

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Ottawa, August 21, 1911.

Sir,

Miss Schruder, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School, desires to furnish during the winter months a simple mid-day meal to the children in attendance and the Department is disposed to make a small grant for this purpose. You will be good enough when the school re-opens to communicate with the teacher and after consultation you may purchase for her a small quantity of tea, sugar. syrup, rice and beans. She will also need some simple utensils in the way of plates, spoons, knives and forks and these you may purchase. You will ask Miss Schruder to keep track of the number of meals served and the cost and she should report at the end of December to the Departmentgiving a statement showing the above.

On the 6th ultimo you were given instructions with regard to the attendance of certain children on the Golden Lake Reserve and Miss Schruder has drawn attention to thres familes, two Vasseau families, The christian name of one of these men is Angus and the other is not known, but you will no doubt be able to indetify him, and the family of Lamable Charboot. There are in these three families seven children. In the letter above referred to you were authorized to inform these parents that the Department must insist upon their children being sent to school and if they persist in their neglect authority will be given to put Section 7 of the Regulations into effect. If this does not have

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have the desired effect the Department will have to take into consideration the question of taking these children away and placing them in some institution where they will receive a proper education.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Kitkatla Station

394333 December 11th 1911

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No. 16 2205/L
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

Y D M C Scan Esqre

Sir

yr reply to yours of the 13th october 1911

Concerning pupils that had not sufficient Clothing to go to School in the winter season There is three belonging to Angus amukons and they are about one mile and a half from the School and a pretty Calot road they to come the Railway track and I was speaking to the chief and some more of the Land about the cost and I think about $ 20 dollars between the three amikons will be sufficient at present and I dont think we will get any for the rest of them until we see how these will attend I am Sir your obedient Servant

Wallace Brillon Indian agent

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Ex'd

Ottawa, December 13, 1911.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant stating that the three children of Angus Amikons of the Golden Lake Band are in need of clothing to enable them to attend school.

In reply I beg to say that if these children are regular in their attendance the Department is prepared to allow you to expend a sum not exceeding $20.00 in the purchase of suitable clothing of a cheap but serviceable kind. You will be good enough to attend to the matter and report to the Department whether they are attending school regularly or not. The accounts should show the articles purchased with prices.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Martin Mullin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Killaloe Station, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 27 1911

Killaloe Station
December th 26 1911

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No 152205/1
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

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J D McLean Esqr

Sir

In reply to yours 13th inst
Regarding pupils of the golden Lake school.
Those children of angus amekons has being to
School in summer time but not very regular
and he claims they cannot go in winter time for the
Want of clothes and I dont know if he will
Send them regular if he get clothes for them

I am Sir your obedient Sir your obedient
Servant,

Martin Benton Indian agent

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Ottawa, December 29, 1911.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the Department considers that it would be well to supply clothing for the children of Angus Amekons of the Golden Lake Reserve and if the children are not sent regularly to school the regulations will have to be enforced in this particular case. Kindly make the purchase and have the teacher report to you in reference to their attendance.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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Indian Agent,
Killaloe Station, Ont.

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ORIGINAL ON FILE 152 205-3 .....GOLDEN LAKE SCHOOL

I would like to have my salary increased $50.00; making an annual salary of $500. I think my work among the Indians deserves this. It takes the greater part of my allowance in helping poor children and giving prizes to others to encourage them to come to school.

(Sgd.) Leona M. Schruder.

Teacher

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE,

Kitlalae Station

January 7th 1912

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IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER.

Sir,—

H C Sean Esqr

Sir.

Enclosed find returns from Miss Fiona M Sokendle teacher of the Golden Lake reserve for december quater up to the 31 december 1911 and she is asking the Department to give her a raise of $ 50 dollars for 1912 and I think if any teacher deserves to get a raise in salery she does for she does all she possibly can to make scholars out of those Indian pupils hoping you will find this satisfactory I am Sir your obedient servant

Braitin Brullin Indian agent

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Ottawa, January 15, 1912.

Mr. Pedley,-

Miss Schruder, teacher of the Golden Lake School, has applied for an increase in salary from $450.00 to $500,00 per annum. She is the holder of a Third Class certificate and is commencing her fifth year as teacher of this school. Miss Schruder is one of our most successful Indian teachers; not only is her class-room work satisfactory, but she teaches domestic science to the girls and prepares a simple mid-day meal during the winter months. Mr. Jones, Separate School Inspector, in his last report, states "The general management of the school is very satisfactory and excellent progress is being made by the pupils." He suggests that the Department should retain Miss Schruder's services, if possible. It is also known to the Department that this teacher takes an active interest in the general welfare of her pupils. The last quarter return shows an enrolment of 31, with an average attendance of 20, which is very high for an Indian school. An item for the erection of a new building has been inserted in the Estimates and I think it would be well to grant the request, as otherwise we may not be able to

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retain Miss Schruder,

Martin Benson

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Mr Sutherland

Ottawa, January 22, 1912.

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Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th instant applying on behalf of Miss Schrudder, teacher of the Golden Lake School, for an increase of salary from $450.00 to $500.00 per annum.

In reply I beg to say that in view of the favourable reports on Miss Schruder's work received from the Public School Inspector it has been decided to grant her this increase from the first of the current quarter and you will be good enough to advise her accordingly.

D.C.A.

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Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Martin Mullin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Killaloe Station, Ont.

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Kitwanga Station
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J. D. McLean Esq
Dear Sir

In reply to your Letter of april 9. regarding ma Whites visit to Golden Lake I beg to say that Mr Miller is dangrly ill and cannot see to his Business for some days Hoping he will soon Be able to see to his work again

I Remain your
Friend
Mrs Martin Miller
Indian agents wife
Golden Lake

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Ottawa, December 6, 1912.

E.D

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th ultimo, and in reply I beg to say that the Department will not object to the use of the new school-house on the Golden Lake Reserve for the christmas entertainment, provided proper care is taken of the furniture, etc.,

With regard to the engagement of Miss Schrader, I may state that it is continuous and it is not, therefore, necessary to renew it from year to year. The Department has not given consideration to the matter of any increase in salary.

Your obedient servant,

J. D McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL.

OTTAWA. August 25th. 1913.

MEMORANDUM

Schools Branch -

Please let me know whether any resignation has been received at the Department from Miss L.M. Schruder, teacher at the Golden Lake school, or if not, whether Miss Schruder's services have been engaged for the ensuing year. Also let me know what salary is paid the teacher at that school.

Acting D. S. G. I. A.

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Ottawa, August 26, 1913.

EXT

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. McLean,-

No resignation has been received from Miss L. M. Schruder, teacher at Golden Lake, nor have her services been specifically engaged for next year. It is generally understood that a teacher intends to continue his services at a school unless his resignation is received or his services are dispensed with by the Department. For this reason we take it that Miss Schruder will remain at Golden Lake. The salary paid is $500.00 per annum.

D. C. MacTaggart

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Golden Lake, Nov. 3. 1913.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 5 1913

Mr. J. D. McLean.
Indian Department
Ottawa

436264

Dear sir

Will you allow me to buy potatoes to serve to the children at the mid-day meal

Potatoes can be purchased here for One dollar per bag.

Yours respectfully
L. M. Schneider
Golden Lake
Ont.

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Ottawa, November 6, 1913.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3rd instant, and in reply I beg to say that Mr. Agent Rankins is being authorized to purchase a bag of potatoes for the mid-day meal for the children of the Golden Lake School.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss L. M. Schruder,
Teacher,
Golden Lake Indian School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Ottawa, November 6, 1913.

Sir,-

Miss Schruder, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School, asks to be supplied with potatoes to serve to the children at the mid-day meal and you may purchase a bag for this purpose. Miss Schruder states that they can be obtained for $1.00 a bag.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 19 1914

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Golden Lake, Feb. 12,

Dear Mr. Mackenzie

As I intend leaving the Golden Lake School, at the end of the present term, I am taking the liberty of asking you to kindly do what lies in your power towards having my salary raised from now till the midsummer holidays.

You know how I have worked for the Indian children both in and out of the classroom, and surely I deserve a slight acknowledgment from the Department. Any increase you can obtain for me will be greatly appreciated.

Thanking you for past favours.

I remain

Yours sincerely

L. M. Schrader

Mr. D. J. Mackenzie
Indian Department
Ottawa

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Schrader - Miss

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February 19th, 1914.

Madam -

Mr. MacKenzie has shown me your letter of the 12th instant in which you ask for a further in - crease in salary as teacher of the Golden Lake School.

I regret, however, that we cannot comply with your request, as the salary now paid is with one or two exceptions the highest paid at any school by the Department in the Province of Ontario. At the same time we quite fully appreciate the work you have done with the Indian children at Golden Lake and are sorry that it is your intention to resign at the end of this term.

Yours truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

Miss L. M. Schrader,

Golden Lake,

Ont.

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H.H.

Ottawa, July 10,,1914.

Madam,-

I beg to refer to your letter of February 12th, last, addressed to Mr. MacKenzie of this Department, in which you state that you intend leaving the Golden Lake School at the end of the June term.

The Department would like to know whether it is still your intention to resign your position as teacher of this school, and, if so, you should send in a formal resignation. If you have decided to remain on the Department will be very glad to retain your services.

H. E.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss L. M. Schruder,
Teacher,
Golden Lake Indian School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Edmonton Alta July 19 1914.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 22 1914

Mr. J. D. McLean
Ottawa

451268

Dear Sir.

Kindly wait till Monday for a decided answer regarding my resignation of the Indian School.

Yrs obliged
L. M. Schluter

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Mrs. J. D. McLean
Ottawa.

Dear Sir,

After due consideration I have decided not to resign my position as teacher of the Golden Lake School.

Yours respectfully
L. M. Schrader

451268

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H.x'd.

Ottawa , July 22nd, 1914

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant withdrawing your resignation as teacher of the Golden Lake School and in reply, I beg to say that the Department is pleased to learn that you have decided to remain on.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss L. M. Schruder,
Teacher,
Golden Lake Indian School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Ottawa, Aug. 7th, 1914

Sir,-

Referring to your telephone conversation of today's date I beg to say that Miss Schruder has not resigned her position as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School and has been re-enga ed for another year.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Gerald White, Esq.,M. P.,
Pembroke,
Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 28 1914

Golden Lake, Oct. 27, 1914

Mr. J. D. McLean,
Ottawa.

456983

Dear Sir,

Regarding the mid-day meal served here during the winter months. I would like to have the menu enlarged at least from now till Xmas.

There is little if any nourishment in potatoes, beans and rice. I think it would be a good idea to give the children soup at noon. The cannot obtain canned soup here, but if we prepare it on meat, I can purchase meat in any of the stores.

Kindly inform me as soon as possible, as I usually begin serving meals by November first.

Yours respectfully,
L. M. Schneider

DH

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E.&D.

Ottawa, October 29, 1914.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th instant in reference to supplies for the mid-day meal for the children attending the Golden Lake School.

In reply I beg to say that Mr. Agent Rankins will be authorized to purchase a small quantity of soup meat for this mid-day meal.

Your obedient servant,

STEWART

Assistant Secretary.

Miss L. M. Schneider,
Teacher,
Golden Lake Indian School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Ex.

Ottawa, October 29, 1914.

Sir,-

Miss Schruder, teacher of the Golden Lake School, asks to be supplied with some meat to make soup for the mid-day meal for the children attending her school.

You are hereby authorized to purchase the meat required for this purpose.

Your obedient servant,

S. STEWART

MP

Assistant Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 1 1914

Lanark, Ont.
Nov. 26. 1914

Deputy Minister of the Department of Indian Affairs

458948

458948

Dear Sir,-

In applying for Golden Lake Indian School, I may state that I have a Second Class Certificate and ask for a salary of $500. Hoping to receive an early and satisfactory reply.

I am

Yours truly
Catherine Goulet.

R M D No 2
C/o Mr McKetrick
Lanark

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DEC 1 1914

Golden Lake Nov 30/14

Mr J D McLean
Ottawa

458948

Dear Sir

I hereby tender to the Indian Department my resignation of the Golden Lake Indian School

Thanking you for past favours

I remain

Yours respectfully

L. M. Schnuder

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, December 1, 1914.

MEMORANDUM.

OK
JDS

Mr. Scott,-

Miss L. M. Schruder, teacher of the Golden Lake School, has sent in her resignation to take effect at the end of the current quarter. She sent in a resignation in July, last, but was induced to withdraw it. I beg to recommend that her resignation be now accepted.

There is an application in from Miss Catherine Goulet for the position. She has a second class certificate and asks for a salary of $500.00 per year, the same that is paid the present teacher. Miss Goulet's application is endorsed by Rev. Father French of Eganville, who is the missionary in charge of the Golden Lake Reserve. He was in the Department today and spoke very highly of Miss Goulet, who has had experience in a white school. I would beg to recommend that she be appointed to succeed Miss Schruder at a salary of $500.00 per year and would be glad to receive your instructions in this matter.

J. D. Sutherland

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Ottawa, December 2, 1914.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo in which you forward your resignation as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to inform you that the Department accepts this resignation to take effect at the end of the current quarter.

The Department regrets that you find it necessary to give up your duties at this school and desires to express to you its appreciation of your services while teacher of this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss L. M. Schruder,
Teacher,
Golden Lake Indian School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Ottawa, December 2, 1914.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ultimo, which was handed in to the Department by the Rev. Father French of Eganville, in which you apply for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to inform you that the Department will accept your services as teachey of this school, your duties to commence on the reopening of the school after the Christmas holidays. The Department will pay you a salary at the rate of $500.00 per year for your services. Kindly inform the Department as to whether you will accept this offer and be prepared to take up your duties as teacher at the time mentioned.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Catherine Goulet,
R. M. D. No.2,
c/o Mr. McKetrick,
Lanark, Ont.

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Ottawa, December 2, 1914.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that Miss L. M. Schruder, teacher of the Golden Lake School, has sent in her resignation to take effect at the end of the current quarter.

The Department has secured the services of Miss Catherine Goulet and has informed her of her appointment at a salary of $500.00 per year. She has been instructed to begin her duties on the re-opening of the school after the Christmas holidays.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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Ottawa, December 2, 1914.

Rev. Sir,-

With reference to the application of Miss Catherine Goulet for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, which you left at the Department yesterday, I beg to inform you that the resignation of Miss Schruder, the present teacher, has been accepted and Miss Goulet is being informed that the Department approves of her appointment as teacher of this school at a salary of $500.00 per year, her duties to commence on the re-opening of the school after the Christmas holidays.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. I. French,
Eganville, Ont.

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Lanark, Dec. 5. 1914.

459327

Secretary Department of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir, -

Your letter of December 2, No. 152205/1 to hand, and I hereby accept the position as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School. I will be prepared to commence duties on the reopening of school after the Christmas holidays.

Yours sincerely,
Catherine Goulet

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EXTRACT.
ORIGINAL ON
459005

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, December 14, 1914.

MEMORANDUM

Mr. Scott,

459953

Re School.

EXTRACT
ON 254082-1

I visited the school which is a neat nicely kept building. While there the teacher asked me to bring into the notice of the Department the lack of attendance. There were 35 on the roll with an attendance of 13 which she says is the average. I would recommend that someone be appointed truant officer with a small salary which I think would be money well spent, to try to have the children attend more regularly.

There is no well on the school property and the water has to be taken from the river about 300 yards from the school, and the teacher informed me that they could not use it in the warm weather as there are a number of summer cottages just above, and during the warm weather the shore is lined with campers who dispose of all their sewage in the river. I would recommend that a well be dug this winter as the soil is of a sandy nature and could be done more easily in cold weather.

The ground is unfir for garden purposes as the only vegetables that could be raised were potatoes of which twelve bags remain in the school house cellar. I would recommend that the stones be picked off the garden plot and a few loads of good earth supplied in time for the spring planting. The paint on the outside of the school is peeling off. The building would be better of

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another coat of paint this summer.

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J. A. Robertson.

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JAN 27 1916

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Golden Lake, Ont.
Jan. 24, 1916

Mr. D. C. Scott
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Can

Dear Sir:—

Am writing to you to ask for an increase in salary. My salary for the past year was Five Hundred, I do not find it sufficient as my expenses are high. I like my present school and am interested in the work and prefer holding it, but can get a school where the salary is higher.

One of my pupils was successful on the Examination for Entrance into the High School, to my knowledge, the first in the Indian Record. I am working to put two more through the same examination

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this year. I may also state that the salary of the previous teacher, who was not qualified, was Five Hundred, I have a Second Class Certificate and hope Six Hundred is not too much to ask.

Yours sincerely
Catherine Goulet
Indian School Teacher
Golden Lake.

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January 26th, 1916.

Dear Madam -

I have your letter of the 24th instant, in which you apply for an increase in your salary from $500.00 to $600.00.

In view of the satisfactory reports that have been received regarding your work in this school from different sources, I am prepared to grant your request, and you will be paid at the rate of $600.00 from the first of this month.

W.M.M.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

Miss Catherine Goulet,
Teacher, Indian School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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January 26th, 1916.

Dear Sir -

I beg to advise you that the Department has increased the salary of Miss Goulet, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School, from $500.00 to $600.00, to take effect from the first instant.

Yours very truly,

Deputy Superintendent General.

Patrick Rankins, Esqr.,

Indian Agent,

Ruby, Ont.

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Golden Lake, Ont.
Feb. 1, 1916

Mr. D. C. Scott
Ottawa, Can.

Dear Sir:-

Must acknowledge the receipt of your letter, in which you have agreed to give me a raise in salary. Thanking you for granting my request, I am

Yours Sincerely
Catherine Goulet.

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Mr. Keyte
To send 12 Agents
Monthly Report forms
Sent 28/1/18
D.H.

Ottawa, January 26, 1918.

Sir,-

A complaint has been received that Miss Goulet, teacher of the Golden Lake School, is unduly severe with the younger children and that she frequently strikes them on the head.

The Department would like you to make inquiries into this statement and, if it is correct, you should warn Miss Goulet that this practice must cease. While discipline is to be maintained, corporal punishment should only be administered in extreme cases and then with discretion.

It is also stated that the school premises are not kept as tidy as they might be, thus entailing more than the necessary amount of work on the caretaker.

Kindly furnish the Department with a full report in regard to these matters.

While it is admitted that Miss Goulet is a competent teacher, it would be to her interests to use more kindly methods with the pupils and it would also be wise for her to cultivate friendly relations with the parents.

It is noticed that you have not made a practice of visiting this school regularly, as called for by the instructions which were sent you when you were appointed asIndian Agent, and in future you should send in reports regularly

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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regularly on this school. These reports should contain some information in regard to the general management and progress of the school in the column under the heading of "General Remarks" in the Agent's report forms, a supply of which is beihg sent you under separate cover.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 4 1918

Ruby, Ont.

Feb. 1st 1918

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

SCHOOLS BRANCH
FEB 7 1918

Sir,—

In reference to letter No. 152205/1, Jan. 26, 1918, re complaint against Miss Goulet, teacher of the Golden Lake school, on making inquiries from both teacher and pupils, I was informed that Miss Goulet has not used any unduly severe means of punishment with her pupils, very seldom administering corporal punishment of any kind.

As to the school premises not being kept tidy, I cannot confirm that statement. Visiting the school sometimes two and three times a month it has always been in proper condition, as far as the teacher's and pupils' work was concerned.

Your obedient servant,
Patrick Pankenis
Indian Agent
Ruby

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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Ottawa, February 7, 1918.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st instant in regard to the complaints against Miss Goulet, teacher of the Golden Lake School, and stating that she has not used any unduly severe means of punishment, very seldom administering corporal punishment of any kind, and that you have always found the school premises in proper condition.

In reply I beg to say that your explanations in regard to this matter are satisfactory.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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7 letters

Ottawa, February 7, 1918.

Sir,-

In reference to the complaints which you made against Miss Goulet, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian school, when you were in the Department recently, I beg to say that, as a result of inquiries made, the Department is advised that Miss Goulet has not used any unduly severe means of punishment with her pupils, very seldom administering corporal punishment of any kind.

The Department is also informed that the school premises are always in proper condition, so far as the teacher's and pupils' work is concerned.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Chief Matthew Bernard,
Golden Lake,
Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 12 1918

506302

Golden Lake. Ont,

Mar. 11/18.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of February 7th, in regard to my complaint against Miss Goulet, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School, was proper and I think that a teacher having only a few pupil's and a good salary should see that those who come to school get a meal when it is provided for by the department.

Hoping that my complaint will be for best, I remain,

Per Mitchell Bernard.....
Chief.

J. D. Mclean.

Asst Deputy Sec't.

Dept of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa.

MB/PJB.

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MAR 14 1918

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Ottawa, March 14, 1918.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant making further complaints against Miss Goulet, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School, and stating that you think she should see that the children who come to school get a meal when it is provided by the Department.

In reply I beg to say that inquiries are being made into this matter and you will be further advised.

H.E.A.

Your obedient servant,

In Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Chief Mathew Bernard,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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2 letters

Ottawa, March 14, 1918.

Sir,-

The Department is in receipt,of a communication from Chief Mathew Bernard, in which he makes further complaints against the teacher of the Golden Lake school and states that he thinks a teacher having only a few pupils and a good salary should see that those who come to school get a meal when it is provided by the Department.

The Department would like to have a full report from you in regard to this matter. Kindly state whether the teacher gives the pupils who attend this school a mid-day meal and, if so, whether all the pupils share in it or not.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

508019

Ruby, Ont.,

April 23 1918

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
THE DATE OF THIS LETTER

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 28 1918
SURVEY

Sir,—

In reply to letter No. 152205/1 dated March the fourteenth, I may say that on visiting the Golden Lake school, I found that the mid-day meal was served everyday to all pupils who remain during the noon hour. The teacher helps in preparing the food-stuffs, but does not remain during the meal, as she goes to her boarding-house for her lunch.

I remain.
Your obedient servant,

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Patrick Rankins
Indian agent
Ruby

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Ottawa, April 24th, 1918.

Sir,-

In further reference to your letter of the 11th, ultimo, I beg to say that the Department has been reliably informed that a mid-day meal is served to the pupils of the Golden Lake day school, who remain during the noon hour. The teacher helps to prepare the meal but goes to her own boarding house for lunch.

As Truant Officer you should make every endeavor to increase the attendance at the school and you should make every effort to promote harmony in regard to school matters on the reserve.

Your obedient servant

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Chief M.Bernard
Golden Lake, Ont,

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152205—1

Extract from letter from ~~Agent~~ Agent Rankins dated July 22, 1918, in regard to teacher ofthe Holden Lake School. Original on 510581.

And as to Miss Goulet returning to her duties at the reopening of school she is unable to say definitely whether she will resume her duties as teacher in the Indian school after the holidays.

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Ottawa, August 1, 1918.

Sir,-

In reference to that portion of your letter of the 22nd ~~in~~ ultimo, in which you state that Miss Goulet is unable to say definitely whether she will resume her duties as teacher in the Golden Lake Indian School after the holidays, I have to ask you to be good enough to ascertain from Miss Goulet as soon as possible and advise the Department whether she intends to resign or not. If she does not intend to return the Department will have to take steps to secure another teacher to take her place.

Your obedient servant,

D. C. Scott

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 16 1918
RECORDS

Ruby Reserve

AUG 15 1918

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

512433

Sir,—

In reply to Official letter re Miss Goulet. I beg to say that Miss Goulet has decided to resume her duties as teacher in the Golden Lake Indian School after Summer holidays.

I remain
Your obedient Servant
Patrick Ranson
Indian Agent
Ruby

The Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Ont

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152205/1

August 17, 1918.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant, in which you state that Miss Goulet has decided to resume her duties as teacher in the Golden Lake Indian school after the summer holidays.

In reply I beg to say that the Department is glad to learn that Miss Goulet intends to take charge of this school again after the summer holidays.

n.c.s.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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OCT 31 1918
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REPORT OF INSPECTOR J.P.FINN ON THE GOLDEN LAKE DAY SCHOOL.

I am pleased to see the services of Miss Goulet have bea been secured for another year. It would certainly be a great loss to the children of this school to change teachers as it would be difficult to get one so well qualified as the present teacher. She not only is well qualified but understands from experience the work of teaching Indian schools. Should Miss Goulet ever contemplate a change it would be wise for the Department to give her charge of some other good Indian school.

Date of Inspection,-October 10th, 1918.

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Golden Lake, Ont.
Dec. 11, 1918.

Adv. m. d. B.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 13 1918
RECORDS

Dear Sir,-

Will the Department allow the annual grant for prizes, for the pupils of Golden Lake Indian School, as usual?

Yours truly

Catherine Goulet
(Teacher)

SCHOOLS BRANCH
DEC 14 1918

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December 14, 1918.

Madam,-

In reply to your letter of the 11th instant, I beg to say that you may expend an amount not exceeding $6.00 in the purchase of prizes for the pupils of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

You should obtain receipted accounts, in duplicate, from the merchant from whom you obtain these prizes and forward them to your local Indian Agent for transmission to the Department for payment.

Your obedient servant

D. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Miss Catherine Goulet,
Teacher,
Golden Lake Indian Day School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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December 14, 1918.

Sir,-

The Department is in receipt of a request from Miss Goulet, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, for a grant to purchase prizes for the pupils.

She is being authorized to expend an amount not to exceed $6.00 for that purpose and to forward the accounts to you, which you will be good enough to certify and transmit to the Department when payment will be made.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assista nt Deputy and Secretary

P. Rankin, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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JUL 14 1919
RECORDS

Eganville, Ont.
July 10th, 1919.

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The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Can.

Dear Sir,- I hereby resign my position as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School for the closing of the term ended June 30th

Yours faithfully,
Catherine Goulet

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Eganville July 13th. 1919

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Mr J. D. McLean
Deputy Minister Indian department
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

As Miss K. Goulet is resigning as teacher of Golden Lake Reserve School. I write to recommend Miss Josephine Currier who is applying for the position. She is fully qualified and is a capable teacher and I feel sure she will give general satisfaction.

Hoping you are quite well

With Kindest regards

I remain
Yours faithfully.
J. A. French P.P.

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Eganville, Ont.,
July 12th 1919.

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JUL 14 1919
RECORDS

Supt. of Indian Education,
Ottawa, Ont..

526797

Dear Sir:-

Learning through a friend of mine that there is a vacancy in the Golden Lake Indian School, I thereby respectfully apply for the position.

I am satisfied to accept the position at an annual salary of Six Hundred Dollars plus the bonus. I have attended the North Bay Normal and Renfrew Model receiving my second and third class certificates. I have had three years experience as teacher in Separate Schools. If I am accepted, I will faithfully serve you to the best of my ability.

If testimonials as to my qualifications are required,

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I shall be glad to furnish them. Hoping to hear from you favorably.

I am,

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Yours very respectfully,

"Miss," Josephine Currier,
Eganville,
Ontario.

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Ingersoll

Edgarville Ont- July 26th 1919

Magistrate

J. McLean

M.P.P.

Dear Mr McLean

Indian Dept:-

Booth Bld.

Ottawa. Ont:-

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 28 1919
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527377

My dear Friend:-

Re Miss Josie Conners application as teacher for Goldenlake School. sent- in the week before last- She has received no answer yet- and is anxiously waiting.

I would like very much to see her engaged by the Department.

I expect- to- leave for a trip to- West- the beginning of August; and would appreciate very much your kindness in arranging this appointment. as soon as convenient,- as I have advised her to- wait,- expecting a favorable reply.

Hoping you are well

And Thanking you for your kindness

I remain

Yours faithfully

J. A. French P.P.

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152205/1

Ottawa, July 30, 1919.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant resigning your position as teacher of the Golden Lake School to take effect at the closing of the term ended June 30th, last.

In reply I beg to say that your resignation is accepted.

N.S.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Catherine Goulet,
Eganville,
Ont.

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Ottawa, July 30, 1919.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th instant applying for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake Indian school.

In reply I beg to say that you may take charge of this school after the summer holidays and you will, be allowed a salary at the rate of $600.00 per annum. Mr. Agent Rankins is being advised of your appointment. You should open the school on the 2nd of September, next.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Eganville,
Ont.

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Ottawa, July 30, 1919.

Rev. Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letters of the 13th and 26th instant in regard to the application of Miss Josephine Currier for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that Miss Currier has been informed that she may take charge of this school after the summer holidays and that she will be allowed a salary at the rate of $600.00 per annum. She has been instructed to open the school on the 2nd of September, next.

N.E.D

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Rev. J. A. French,
Eganville,
Ont.

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152205/1

Ottawa, July 30, 1919.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that the Department has appointed Miss Josephine Currier of Eganville to take charge of the Golden Lake Indian School after the summer holidays. She will be allowed a salary at the rate of $600.00 per annum, and she has been instructed to open the school on the 2nd of September, next.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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1101 Eganville, Ont.,
Aug. 2nd. 1919.

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AUG 5 1919
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Sec. of Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.,

527730

Dear Sir:—

Your letter No. 152205/1 of the 30th instant has been received.

I wish to state that I have accepted the position as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School. The school shall be opened by one on September the 2nd providing nothing unexpected occurs.

Thanking you for the above situation, and wishing to give you the best of service.

I remain,
Yours respectfully,
"Miss" Josephine Currier,
Eganville,
Ontario.

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11-1-1 Eganville, Ont.,
April 5th, 1920.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.

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APR 7 1920

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APR 8 1920
RECORDS

538469

Dear Sir:—

On account of the increased cost of everything, I find it very difficult to make ends meet at the annual salary of Six Hundred Dollars.

I have had to use my last years savings in order to be able to keep out of debt.

Most of the teachers around here in the country schools are receiving a salary of eight hundred and fifty and nine hundred dollars!

Would you kindly have the Government look into this affair and see if they could not afford to give Sixty Dollars a month?

And oblige,

"Mike" Josephine Currier.
Eganville,
Ontario

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, April 7, 1920.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,-

Miss Josephine Currier, teacher of the Golden Lake School, applies for an increase in her salary.

She was appointed teacher of this school and began duties on September 2nd, 1919, at a salary of $600.00, which is the amount she at present receives. She has also received the bonus at the rate of $150.00 from the date she began duties. She has an Ontario Second Class Certificate and had previous experience in white schools. The Separate School Inspector, who visited this school in October, last, states that he was impressed with the spirit of interest in the class work and that Miss Currier should be a good success as teacher. The enrolment is 29, with an average of about 13.

Miss Currier asks that a salary be granted her at the rate of at least $720.00 a year. As salaries in the white schools are being increased, it might be difficult to obtain another teacher having the experience which Miss Currier has at the salary she now receives, and I would beg to recommend that she be granted an increase of $100.00 from the 1st instant.

for Scott
I think salary now paid plus bonus is very fair. If bonus is not continued we will have to readjust
A. L. Sutherland
A. G. M.
Laforce
DCL
some few salaries

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Ottawa, April 10, 1920.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th instant applying for an increase in salary as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that you are receiving at the present time a salary at the rate of $600.00 per annum, plus a bonus at the rate of $150.00 per annum, a total amount of $750.00. It is considered that the amount now paid you is a very fair salary for the duties you have to perform and no further increase can be made you at the present time.

Your obedient servant,

D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Teacher,
Golden Lake Indian Day School,
Eganville, Ont.

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Egandville Ont.,
Aug. 11th, 1920.

Chief Accountant.
Depart. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
AUG 13 1920
54395

Dear Sir:—

Some time ago I wrote to the Secret of Civil Service Com. with regard to the bonus I should be receiving and so far have received no answer.

All last year I received a bonus of twelve dollars and fifty cents a month and I am quite sure it should have been twenty-one dollars a month as my salary is only six hundred dollars I for my duties as teacher in the Golden Lake Indian Day School and I am over twenty-one years of ago. I saw in the paper where back pay was to have been mailed in July, but so far I have not received any cheque for

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it. which would have amounted to eighty-five dollars.

Some time ago I applied for a higher salary and received an answer that no higher salary could be given to me as I was receiving at the rate of seven Hundred and fifty dollars a year counting salary and bonus. Surely this is not a sufficient salary for a teacher, as Normal students who attended during the last year were told not to accept any less than nine hundred dollars, and so far they have been successful in getting that amount.

Even the Public School teacher in Golden Lake is to receive nine hundred dollars for the coming year.

Surely when all this is taken into consideration, not forgetting the high cost of living there should be

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no trouble for me to receive what should be coming to me.

Kindly answer and let me know if I am to receive the back pay.

I remain,

Yours truly,

Josephine Currier,
Eganville
Ont.
Teacher of Indian School.

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Ottawa, August 13, 1920.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant in regard to the amount of salary and bonus which you are receiving as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that all teachers in Indian day schools are being allowed a bonus at the rate of $150.00 per annum for the current fiscal year and a cheque for the amount due you at this rate for the June quarter, last, has been sent you. You have also been sent your cheque for your salary for the June quarter and there is, therefore, no balance of salary or bonus due you.

The Department is not prepared to grant you any increase in your salary, as it is considered that the total salary and bonus of $750.00 per annum which you receive compares favourably with the salaries allowed to the teachers in the rural schools.

N.S.D.

Your obedient servant,

D. C. MCLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Teacher,
Golden Lake Indian Day School,
Eganville, Ont.

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Golden Lake Ont.,
Nov. 1st. 1920.

Sec. of Indian Affairs,
Dom. Govt.
Ottawa.

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546990

Dear Sir:—

For the position as teacher in the Golden Lake Indian School, I hereby make application at an annual salary of Nine Hundred Dollars.

As I hold both my Model and Normal Certificates and am on my fifth year of experience as teacher I feel I am entitled to a greater salary than what I have been receiving.

Hoping to receive a favourable reply.

I remain,
Yours truly,
Josephine Currier,
Golden Lake,
Ontario.

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Mr. Mackenzie
Please advise
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
CANADA

Ottawa, November 3, 1920.

MEMORANDUM.

Mr. Scott,-

Miss Josephine Currier, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, has made application for an increase in her salary to the amount of $900.00 per annum.

Miss Currier took charge of this school on September 2nd, 1919, with salary at the rate of $600.00, which amount she at present receives, together with bonus at the rate of $150.00 per annum. She has both Model and 2nd Class Normal Certificates and five years' experience as a teacher. She states that, with the qualifications she possesses, she feels that she is entitled to more salary than she is at present receiving. There is an enrolment of 26 pupils, with an average attendance of 19. The Separate School Inspector, in his report of inspection, states that she is an experienced teacher and that he was much impressed by the spirit of interest in the class work shown by the children and that her management of the school is good. While she receives a total salary and bonus of $750.00, there is no doubt that, with the qualifications which she possesses, she could command a much higher salary in a public or separate school.

I shall be pleased to be informed whether you will approve of any increase being granted her and, if so, the amount.

J. D. Rutherford

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CANADA

Ottawa, November 3, 1920.

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J. D. Rutherford

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V. C. QUARRY, B.A.
Inspector of Separate Schools
PARKHILL, ONT.

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NOV 4 1920
RECORDS

Parkhill, Oct 30 1920

Department of Indian Affairs
Parliament Buildings
Ottawa, Ont

547238

Dear Sirs,

I am enclosing my report on the Indian School at Golden Lake. I wish to add here though that Miss Currie who is teaching here and is also doing very good work, is dissatisfied with her salary. She holds a second Class certificate, and she believes and rightly so that she can secure $1000 a year in the Provincial schools and at really more congenial work under more favorable conditions. Last year she received $900 + bonus of $150. Will you kindly write to me and let me know what raise the department is willing to meet.

I thank you and remain
Yours very truly
V. C. Quarry

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RECORDS

Extract from Inspector's report on the Golden Lake Day School, October 19, 1920. Original on 152205-6

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Miss Currier is very well liked by her little pupils and she has quite gained their confidence. However, she holds a second class certificate and, after attending the teacher's convention, she feels that she could readily secure $1,000.00 a year in the provincial schools. I would be sorry to lose her and she would be very hard to replace.

V. C. Quarry,

Insp.

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CANADA

OFFICE OF THE
DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL
OTTAWA

Schools
A.H.J.B.

November 8th. 1920.

MEMORANDUM

Mr. Scott -

With reference to Mr. Sutherland's memorandum hereunder regarding the teacher for the Golden Lake Indian day school, I think a remuneration of $900.00, made up of salary of $750.00 and bonus of $150.00 would be fair for a teacher with these qualifications. We have an excellent building at this point, there is a good enrolment with fair average attendance. Mr. Quarry, the present inspector of Roman Catholic schools has taken a great deal of interest in our work and wherever possible I think we should support his recommendations if considered reasonable.

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A. J. Hall Empey.

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Ottawa, November 9, 1920.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st instant, in which you request an increase in your salary as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that, in view of your qualifications and experience, it has been decided to grant you an increase of $150.00 in your salary from the 1st of October, last. This will make your salary at the rate of $750.00 from that date, which, together with the bonus at the rate of $150.00 per annum, will give you a combined salary and bonus at the rate of $900.00 per annum.

Mr. Agent Rankin is being informed of the increase in salary being granted you.

Your obedient servant

A. F. MacKenzie.
for Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Miss Josephine Currier,
Golden Lake,
Ont.

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Ottawa, November 9, 1920.

Sir,-

I beg to inform you that it has been decided to grant Miss Josephine Currier, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, an increase of $150.00 in her salary from the 1st of October last. This will make her salary from that date at the rate of $750.00 per annum, which, together with the bonus at the rate of $150.00 per annum, will give her a combined salary of $900.00 a year.

Miss Currier has been informed of the above increase being granted.

Your obedient servant

A. F. MacKenzie.
for Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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Ottawa, November 9, 1920.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo, with reference to the salary paid Miss Josephine Currier, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that, in view of the qualifications which she possesses, it has been decided to grant her a increase of $150.00 per annum in her salary from the 1st of October last. This will make her salary at the rate of $750.00 from that date, which, together with the bonus at the rate of $150.00 per annum, will give her a combined salary and bonus at the rate of $900.00 a year.

The Department is glad to learn that Miss Currier is doing good work and hopes that she will continue to meet with every success. She has been informed of the increase granted in her salary.

Your obedient servant

A. F. MacKenzie.
for Assistant Deputy and Secretary

V. C. Quarry, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector of Separate Schools
Parkhill, Ont.

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27th March 1923

R. D. Ferrier Esq

Ottawa

I am informed that the Teacher at Gold Lake (North Reserve Indian School) is contemplating leaving. If so I would like to have a Miss Gorman appointed

Yours truly

W. McKay

(North Battleford)

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11-1-1.

Ottawa, March 28th, 1923.

Sir: -

Replying to your letter of the 27th instant, I beg to say that the Department has received no intimation from Miss Josephine Currier, the present teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, that she intends resigning. Should she do so, however, we will give every consideration to your request for the appointment of Miss Gorman to succeed her.

I shall be pleased if you will furnish Miss Gorman's christian name and her address, in order that we can communicate with her when a vacancy occurs.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Matthew McKay, Esq., M.P.,
House of Commons,
OTTAWA.

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Ottawa, June 6, 1923.

Sir:

I have to request that you will ascertain and inform the Department whether Miss Josephine Currier, Teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, intends to resign her position at the end of the present school year, viz.: on June 30th, next. Your early reply will be expected.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
R u b y, Ont.

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Sirs,-

In reply to letter no 11-1-1
of June 6th 1923- re Miss Currier
teacher of the Golden Lake School
She intends to teach after the
Holidays, if her services satisfactory -
to the Dept.

SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 20 1923

Your obedient Servant
P Rankin's

The Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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Ottawa, June 20th, 1923.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, informing the Department that Miss Josephine Currier, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, will remain as teacher for the school year beginning on or about September 1st, next.

In reply I beg to say that the Department will approve of Miss Currier's re-appointment, with salary at the same rate as she at present receives. You will be good enough to inform her accordingly.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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Re Indian School - Golden Lake
North Renfrew

July 2nd 1923

R. L. Fernie Esq

Sir

As I only called from him

ago to see me re Indian School Golden Lake
North Renfrew. She told me the teacher
there was leaving and She wished to learn his
position. Kindly let me know if there is to be
a vacancy

Yours truly

M. McKay

P.S. Address

Pembroke

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Ottawa, July 9th, 1923.

Sir:

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant, regarding a teacher for the Golden Lake Indian Day School, for the next school year.

In reply I beg to say that the present teacher, Miss Josephine Currier, intends to remain, and her appointment for the next school year has been approved. I, therefore, regret that there will be no vacancy at this school to which we could appoint Miss Gorman.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

A.G. R.T.F.

Matthew McKay, Esq., M.P.,
Pembroke,
Ont.

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Eganville, Ont.,
July 12th, 1924.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa, Ont..

Dear Sir:-

I hereby tender my resignation as teacher in the Golden Lake Indian Day school, to take effect on the 31st day of August next. Allow me to extend to you my most sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness conferred on me since my accepting the position.

I am,

Yours truly,
Josie Laurier.

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Killaloe, Ont: July 7-24.

To Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont

Gentlemen:-

I beg to submit my application as teacher for the Indian school, Golden Lake, for ensuing year, at a salary of $900.00 per annum.

I hold a Third Class professional certificate and I have had four years experience in teaching

If my application is favorably considered I shall try to give satisfaction

Youre respectfully

Helena G. Connolly.

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Ottawa, July 16, 1924.

Madam:

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 12th instant, tendering your resignation as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, to take effect August 31st, next. In reply I beg to say that your resignation is accepted, but the same will date from June 30th, last, the end of the school year. You have been paid full salary and bonus to that date. We regret losing your services, which were satisfactory.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Miss Josie Currier,
Eganville,
Ont.

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Ottawa, July 16, 1924.

Madam:

I have your letter of the 7th instant, applying for a position as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School for the next school year and stating your qualifications and experience. In reply I beg to say that a teacher has been secured for this school for the next academic year and we will therefore be unable to accept your services.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Miss Helena T. Connolly,
Killaloe,
Ont.

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Ottawa, July 16, 1924.

Sir:

I have to inform you that Miss Josie Currier, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, has tendered her resignation which took effect from June 30th, last. We are appointing as her successor Miss Aileen Costello, Eganville, who holds a Permanent Second Class Certificate and has had 4 years' experience in white schools. She will begin duties when the school re-opens on September 2nd, next. The salary allowed Miss Costello will be at the rate of $750 per annum, supplemented by the bonus provided by law. Please give her every assistance you can in her work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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Arnprior, Aug. 26, 1924.

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Deputy Minister of Indian Affairs,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

Having been informed that there is a vadancy in the Indian Reserve School at Golden Lake; I here by make application. I attended the Ottawa Normal School last term and obtained a third class certificate.

Hoping to hear from you at earliest convenience.

Your's sincerely,
Irene Morah.

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R.X'D.

Ottawa, August 29th, 1924.

Madam:

In reply to your letter of the 26th instant, I beg to say that the Department has already appointed a teacher at the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Irene Moran,
Arnprior,
Ont.

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GOLDEN LAKE

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Eganville, Ont.
June 11th, 1928.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Dominion Government,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

Being informed of a vacancy in the Golden Lake Indian School I hereby make application for the same at an annual salary of Nine hundred Dollars.

I am the holder of a Second Class Professional Certificate and have had five years previous experience in the above school during this period, I was successful in having a number of pupils pass the Entrance Examination.

Trusting to receive as favourable a reply as possible.

Yours respectfully,
Josephine Currier,
Eganville, Ont.

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11-1-1

Ottawa, June 15th, 1928.

Madam,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, making application for appointment as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department is pleased to accept your services at a salary of $900. for the academic year. You should commence duties at this school on or about September 1st next.

Mr. Agent Rankins is being informed of your appointment.

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Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Eganville,
Ont.

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11-1-1

Ottawa, June 15th, 1928.

Sir,-

The Department is in receipt of a letter from Miss Aileen L. Costello, resigning as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School as from the end of the present quarter. Her resignation is being accepted.

An application for appointment as teacher at this school has been received from Miss Josephine Currier, who formerly taught there. I am today writing Miss Currier informing her of her appointment to begin duties on or about September 1st next at a salary of $900. for the academic year. Please give Miss Currier every possible assistance in her work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

P. Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

Golden Lake Ont. March 20,1934

Secretary Dept. of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa.

Dear Sir;-

I beg to say that On March 6th Miss Ernestine H. Drohan relieved Miss Currier teacher in the Indian School here, Miss Currier came back on March 16th. Miss Currier had to leave on account of sickness,

Your obedient servant.

Indian Agent.

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

Golden Lake Ont May 3rd, 1934

Secretary, Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to refer You to my voucher for substitute for the Indian School here, in favour of Miss Josephine Currier, voucher dated March 30th, Miss Currier informed me that She had a letter from the Dept. some time ago stating that in case She was sick and unable to teach the Dept, would pay for a substitute in Her absence, in adition to her wages. If the understanding is correct, kindly send her the $31.50.

Your obedient servant.

J. M. Farrell

Indian Agent.

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11-1-1.

Ottawa, May 30, 1934.

Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 3rd instant, I beg to say that cheque in favour of the substitute teacher employed for a few days at the Golden Lake Indian Day School is going forward under separate cover.

Please inform Miss Currier that she should not employ a substitute teacher in future without receiving the specific authority of the Department.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie,
Secretary.

J. M. Farrell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake,
Ont.

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Dear Joe

I enclose a certificate for Miss Curries

If you can do it I wish you would request to the Dept that Miss Thelma Kennedy of Egansville Substitute for Miss Kennedy is an Excellent teacher

Yours

M Mawsey

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Dr. M. J. Maloney
Eganville, Ont.

Jany 18-37

This certifies that Miss Josie Currie, teacher at Golden Lake Indian Reserve School is under my care professionally suffering from Influenza and heart Complications.

It will be at least one month before she will be able to resume her work

M J Maloney

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Indian Affairs Branch.
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Golden Lake Ont. January 15th, 1937

Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear sir,-

I enclose herewith a letter and note from Dr M. J. Maloney, regarding Miss Currier the teacher here at Golden Lake Indian School.

I beg to say that Miss Currier called me lastfriday Jan 15th, and said that she was going home as she was sick, and would let me know after seeing her doctor if she would be away for any length of time, the attached letters explain that a substitue will be necessary. I recommend the services of Miss Thelma Kennedy of Eganville an experienced teacher to take over duties at the Indian School until Miss Currier is able to do the work again. Will you kindly give me a prompt reply in this case.

Your obedient servant
J. M. Farrell
Indian agent.

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Ottawa, January 23, 1937.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of the 15th instant with reference to the illness of Miss Currier, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, reached the Department this morning. It is noted from your letter that Miss Currier gave up duties on the 15th instant.

It is presumed that the school has been closed for the present week, and unless Miss Currier will be absent, owing to illness, more than one month, the Department considers it unnecessary to appoint a substitute.

You might make further enquiries regarding Miss Currier's health and advise the Department next week whether or not her absence will exceed a month.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

J. M. Farrell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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St. James' Presbytery
J. A. French, P. P.

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EGANVILLE, Ont., Jan 26th 1937

To the Secretary
Dept: of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

Education
Dept.

Re Golden Lake Reserve
School.

Dear Sir:-

Miss Thelma Kennedy, Eganville Ont: is an Experienced Qualified Teacher and would be pleased to supply for Miss Currier who is ill. I would highly recommend her engagement - as she is a very suitable person.

Miss Currier is improving but - the Doctor say she will need at least a months rest.

Thanking you for the favorable consideration of this Engagement.

I remain,
Yours truly,
J. A. French P.P.

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Eganville, Ont.

Jan. 26, 1937.

To—
The Secretary.
Dept. of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa, Canada.

Education Department.

Dear Sir:-

I hereby apply as substitute teacher for Golden Lake Reserve School while Miss Currier

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with it.

I am a qualified teacher for Ontario and have had seven years of successful teaching experience.

I am free to begin teaching as soon as notified.

I remain.

Yours truly,

Thelma Kennedy.

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11-1-1.

Ottawa, January 28, 1937.

Rev. Sir:

The Department is in receipt of your letter of the 26th instant, recommending Miss Thelma Kennedy as substitute teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School owing to the illness of Miss Currier.

Unless Miss Currier's illness proves more serious than present reports indicate, it is not the Department's intention to appoint a substitute teacher, and the school will remain closed for the present.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Rev. I. A. French,
Eganville,
Ont.

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EX'D.

Ottawa, January 28, 1937.

Madam:

The Department is in receipt of your letter of the 26th instant, requesting appointment as substitute teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School owing to the illness of Miss Currier.

Unless Miss Currier's illness proves more serious than present reports indicate, it is not the Department's intention to appoint a substitute teacher, and the school will remain closed for the present.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Miss Thelma Kennedy,
Eganville,
Ont.

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Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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Golden Lake Ont. February 1,1937

R. A. D. H.

Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Dear sir,-

I have your letter of January 23rd No 11-1-1, regarding the illness of Miss Currier the teacher at Golden Lake Indian school.

As requested I called Dr M. J. Maloney who is taking care of Miss Currier , this morning and he advises me that Miss Currier will not be able to resume her duties until the end of February at least.
Should you decide to have a substitute take her place until such time as she comes back you might inform me so.

Your obedient servant

J. McFarrell
Indian Agent.

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EX'D.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch.
MAR 27 37
RECD

Dr. M. J. Maloney
Eganville, Ont.

March 3-7

This certifies that Miss Josie Currier teacher who has been under my care professionally for several weeks is now Recovered and able to Resume her work on this date.

M J Maloney MD

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Golden Lake. Ont.,
Mar. 25th. 1939.

Mr. Hoey
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr. Hoey:

I am very sorry to have to report to you regarding the misconduct of one of my pupils, Percy Jocko, Age 13 yrs. son of Seymour Jocko, in Grade II.

Last Thursday afternoon, Mar. 23rd, around 2.30 P.M., I called his class up for Spelling. I took the Spelling lesson. They had around seven words to spell, which were taken out of his Reading lesson. He had them all wrong but one, although the other pupil in the same class and only about half his age had

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no mistakes. I told him to take a seat nearer the front, as I felt he wasn't paying as much attention to his work at back, where he had been sitting, as he should. He went to the back seat, making no move to change. I told him again, but he just sat there. At last I went down to him and asked him again, but no answer.
I tried to get him out of his seat but I couldn't move him. When trying to get him out of seat, he drew out his fist, in a terrible temper, hit my eye-glasses, broke them, and they cut me under the eye. Luckily I didn't get any glass in my eye, as far as I can see. He went home and told his father, the reason he

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came home was, one of the children at school was teasing him.

I had to send my glasses to Sutherland and Parkins, Ottawa, where I expect it will cost me Six -- $\frac{50}{100}$ Dollars.

Now Mr. Hoey don't you think, a boy, with a temper like that, deserves some special punishment, as he is a bad example to other pupils?

Trusting you will be able to do something. Thanking you.

Yours sincerely,
Josephine Currier.
Teacher Indian Day School
Golden Lake. Ont.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

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Golden Lake Ont. March 27th, 1939

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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Secretafy
Indian Affairs Branch
Dept. Of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa.

Dear sir,-

I enclose herewith attached a letter from Miss Currier the teacher at the Golden Lake Indian Day school. In her letter Miss Curricer reports an incident that happened there on March 23rd . I must say that this family are inclined to be undiciplined , as this boy was up incourt last fall before Magistrate MacGregor for xxxxxxgx attempting to steal goods from Mr Bernards store. He received a suspended sentence. However I am at a loss to knpw what I can do about the situation other than to suggest the boys removal to a residential school where no doubt the boy would be under a stricter teacher.
I received tuitition from Miss Currier my self and she appeared to me to know her work , but uses the method of coaxing the children along rather that driving them, of course a very strict teacher would run into a lot of difficulty. I think Miss Curriers letter is self explanatory

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I might add that when the father of this boy was informed of the boys actions he claimsx to have administered a sound thrashing.

Your obedient servant

J M Farrell

Indian Agent.

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Ottawa,
March 31, 1939.

HXD.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 27th instant with reference to Percy Jocko.

It is noted that this boy is only in Grade II although he is 13 years of age. This suggests that he may be subnormal.

Please have him carefully examined by the local Medical Officer and submit the report for our consideration. It may be possible to arrange to have this boy placed in the Industrial School at Alfred, Ont.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

J. M. Farrell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Indian Affairs Branch
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Golden Lake Ont. May 6th, 1939

Secretary
Indian Affaris Branch
Dept. of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa.

Dear sir,-

Miss Josephine Curridr , teacher at the Golden Lake Indian Day School , would like to know if she could close school on May 17th in order to visit Ottawa to see the King and Queen. I mitght say that all the Public School will be closed around here on that date. Kindly give me a reply at once.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

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Ottawa,
May 10, 1939.

I.A.D.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 6th instant you may inform Miss Josephine Currier, teacher of the Golden Lake school, that she may close the Indian day school on May 17.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

J. M. Farrell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Golden Lake,
May 20/40.

Dept. of Indian Affairs.
Schools Branch.

Dear Sirs:

This is to recommend Mrs. Basil George, young widow, and a school teacher from Eganville, and as we are to have a new teacher I'd like to inform you that I know this woman well and I'm sure she will perform her duties as best would be expected.

Hoping you will consider my recommendation

I remain,

Sincerely.

Matt Bernard
Golden Lake
Ontario

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Eganville,Ont.
May 23,1940

Mr.R.A. Hoey,
Supt.of Welfare,
Sec.of Indian Affairs,
Dept.of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa,Ont.

Dear Sir;

I understand that Miss J. Currier is resigning as teacher in the Indian School at Golden Lake,Ont. I also understand that Mrs. W.B. George (nee Mary Kelly),widow,of Eganville,Ont.is applying to be engaged as the new teacher.

During the last seven years I have been serving as catholic priest here at Eganville,from where the Indian Church at Golden Lake is attended.So I may lay claim to knowing the Indians fairly well.The choice of a teacher there is a very important thing. The teacher must be a good disciplinarian,yet one with inexhaustable patience.The teacher there has always helped in the church as organist. This is also an advantage to the pupils in the preparation of concerts, etc.In fine,she must be one willing and able to co-operate with the priests so that the children's training will be thorough.

I have known Mrs. George seven years.I think she is of the right age , disposition,and character to fill this position.

I am,yours respectfully,

Rev. T.C. May.

T.C. May, assistant to, acting for Rt. Rev. J.A. French P.D., Parish Priest

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Renfrew Ont. July 1922.

To Whom It May Concern.

This certifies that Miss Mary C. Kelly has taught for the past two years in a rural school in my Inspectorate.

Miss Kelly is a capable teacher, diligent and painstaking in her work. She is a young lady of good moral character and will do her best to succeed in any position she may take.

G. G. McNab.

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Creighton Mine, Ont.
June 15, 1926

To Whom It May Concern.

This is to certify that Miss Mary Kelly has taught in the Creighton Mine Public School for the past six months, teaching Third Class work and substituting for the teacher of that form who has had a leave of absence, during that time. I regret that we shall have no vacancy on the staff for the following year in which Miss Kelly might be placed.

This young lady is a splendid disciplinarian, a bright and energetic teacher and very thorough in her work. It is my opinion she would be a splendid acquisition for any staff.

Faithfully yours,
W. M. Blake
Principal of Public School.

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Brockville May 1, 1925.

To Whom It May Concern:

I take this opportunity of recommending to you Mary C. Kelly, a very able and well qualified school teacher.

She has taught in the Brockville Separate School during the past three years and I have found her a conscientious hard worker, willing to make any sacrifice for the advancement of the pupils under her charge, prompt in attending to her duties as teacher and very considerate to the parents of the pupils.

I have always found her agreeable and kind, ready to take her part in any social or welfare work in the town as well as attending to her duties as teacher.

B. D. Leeder Sec-Treas.
B. S. S.

Note - This was in a boys school in a class of 40 pupils.

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Eganville, Ont.,
May 24, 1940.

Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt. Welfare and Training,
Sec. Indian Affairs,
Dept of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir.

I wish to submit my application for the position of teacher in the Indian School at Golden Lake Ont.
I am the holder of a Permanent Second Class Professional Certificate and have nine years' successful teaching experience. Re. my ability as a teacher and disciplinarian I can furnish a number of testimonials. You will find

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a few of these enclosed.
Should my application
meet with your approval
every effort shall be
directed in the best
interests of those
entrusted to my care.

Yours truly,
(Mrs.) Mary George.

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Golden Lake, Ont.,
May 23rd. 1940.

Mr. R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.
Dept. of Mines & Resources.
Indian Affairs Branch.
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:—

I hereby tender my resignation as teacher in the Golden Lake Indian Day school, to take effect on the 30th day of June next. Allow me, to extend to you and to the other members of the Department, my most sincere thanks, for the many acts of kindness conferred on me since my appointment as teacher in your school.

I am,

Yours truly,

Josephine A. Currier.
Teacher of Indian Day School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Golden Lake Ont.

May 24th, 1940

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
MAY 27 1940
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Secretary
Indian Affairs Branch
Dept. of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

Dear sir,-

I enclose herewith attached Miss Josephine Curriers resignation as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day school and also an application from Mrs W. B. George of Eganville for the position.

I recommend Mrs George for the position of teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School ~~at Gnixnnx~~ I have examined the recommendations which accompanied her application and I feel that she will fill the position to the satisfaction of this Department.

Your obedient servant

J M Farrell

Indian Agent.

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Ottawa,
May 29, 1940.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 24th instant you may inform Miss Josephine Currier that her resignation as teacher of the Golden Lake School is accepted.

I will advise you later regarding the teacher who is to be employed during the academic year 1940-41.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. J. M. Farrell,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Ottawa,
May 29, 1940.

Memorandum:

DEPUTY MINISTER

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School,
Golden Lake Indian Agency,
Electoral District of Renfrew North.

As the present teacher of this school has resigned, effective June 30, 1940, it will be necessary to appoint a new teacher to take charge of this school on October 1 next.

A qualified Roman Catholic teacher is required. Salary will be allowed at the rate of $80.00 a teaching month.

In connection with this vacancy we have received a letter from Rev. T.G. May, Acting Parish Priest, Eganville, recommending the appointment of Mrs. W. B. George (a widow). She has a second class permanent Ontario certificate and is stated to have had 9 years' successful teaching experience.

Director.

PP

May 30/40.

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EX'D.
A.

Ottawa,
June 3, 1940.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School
No. 394

The Department has received and accepted the resignation of the teacher, Miss Josephine Currier, effective June 30, 1940. No further payment should be made to her after that date.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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House of Commons
Canada
OTTAWA

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUN 5 1940
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June 4th, 1940.

Dr. Harold W. McGill,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Department of Mines & Resources,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

Dear Dr. McGill:

Mrs. Mary George has made application to your Department for the position of teacher at the Golden Lake Indian School.

I know this lady very well and it is indeed a pleasure for me to recommend her. She is thoroughly qualified and, in fact, I know of no one more deserving.

Hoping that it may be possible for Mrs. George to obtain the position, I am,

Yours very truly,

R M Warren

R. M. WARREN, M.P.

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Ottawa,
June 7, 1940.

Memorandum:

DEPUTY MINISTER

I desire to refer you to my memorandum of May 29 with reference to securing a teacher for the Golden Lake Indian Day School for the academic year 1940-41. I am today in receipt of the following letter from Mr. R.M. Warren, M.P.

"Mrs. Mary George has made application to your Department for the position of teacher at the Golden Lake Indian School.

"I know this lady very well and it is indeed a pleasure for me to recommend her. She is thoroughly qualified and, in fact, I know of no one more deserving.

"Hoping that it may be possible for Mrs. George to obtain the position, I am,"

June 10/40

Director.

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INDIAN AFFAIRS
BRANCH

Ottawa,
May 29, 1940.

OTTAWA.
MAY 30 1940
DEPUTY MINISTER.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUN 10 1940
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Memorandum:

DEPUTY MINISTER

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School,
Golden Lake Indian Agency,
Electoral District of Renfrew North.

As the present teacher of this school has resigned, effective June 30, 1940, it will be necessary to appoint a new teacher to take charge of this school on October 1 next.

A qualified Roman Catholic teacher is required. Salary will be allowed at the rate of $80.00 a teaching month.

In connection with this vacancy we have received a letter from Rev. T.G. May, Acting Parish Priest, Eganville, recommending the appointment of Mrs. W. B. George (a widow). She has a second class permanent Ontario certificate and is stated to have had 9 years' successful teaching experience.

June 7, 1940
DR. MCGILL.

Mrs. W.B. George, Eganville, may be appointed to this vacancy.

W.J.F. Pratt
Private Secretary.

PP

H.McGill
Director.

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Please return letter to Mr. P. Phillips

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Ottawa, June 10, 1940.

Dear Mr. Warren:

I have for acknowledgment your letter of June 4, in which you intimate that Mrs. Mary George has made application for the position of teacher at the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

You will be interested to learn that Mrs. George has been appointed to this position and will be notified of her appointment in the course of a few days.

Yours very truly,

Director.

R. M. Warren, Esq., M.P.,
House of Commons,
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Ottawa,
June 11, 1940.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School
No. 394

With reference to my memorandum of the 3rd instant I wish to advise you that Mrs. Mary George has been appointed teacher of the above-mentioned school at a salary of $80.00 a month to begin duties on October 1, 1940. Copy of letter of appointment is attached and staff questionnaire will be sent to you when received.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa,
June 11, 1940.

EX'D.
A.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 24th ultimo you may notify Mrs. W. B. George of Eganville, Ontario, that it has been decided to appoint her as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School for the academic year 1940-41. She will be allowed salary at the rate of $80.00 a teaching month and she should begin duties on October 1, 1940. Please give her every possible assistance. The attached questionnaire form should be completed and returned to the Department.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. J. M. Farrell,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Golden Lake Ont. June 25th, 1940

Secretary
Indian Affairs Branch
Dept. of Mines and Resources
Ottawa,

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUN 29 1940
REGISTERED

Dear sir,-

I have your letter of June 11th, File No 11-1-1, regarding the appointment of Mrs W. B. George as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian School.

Am I to understand that the salary shall be $80.00 per teaching month making a total of $720.00 per year or is it based on the ten month period which would amount to $810.00 per year.

With regard to the nine month school year, I recommend that instead of closing the school during the month of September the school be closed during the month of January, as this month appears to me to be the hardest period to keep up the attendance.

Your obedient servant

J. M. Jarvell

Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, July 2, 1940.

EX'D.
A.

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 25th ultimo, regarding the salary of the teacher of the Golden Lake School, the amount allowed her will be at the rate of $80.00 a teaching month for a nine month period during the academic year 1940-41.

In view of the recommendation contained in the last paragraph of your letter, you should advise Mrs. George that the school will be in operation for the months of September, October, November and December, 1940, and February, March, April, May and June, 1941. In other words, the school will be closed during the month of January, 1941, and no salary will be paid the teacher for that month.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mr. J. M. Farrell,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Department of Mines & Resources
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~~C.150-48~~ 11-1-1

Golden Lake Ont. August 26th,1940

Secretary

Indian Affairs Branch

Dept. of Mines and Resources,

Ottawa,

Dear sir,-

With regard to the opening date for the School on this Reserve, I have your circular letter No C.150-48, and your letter dated July 2nd, file No 11-1-1, according to the letter the school here should open on September 3rd, however, I understand that the Provincial Government is not allowing schools to open until Sept 16th, does this rulling have any thing to do with the Indian School here. I would like to have your answer before saturday next.

Your obedient servant

Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, August 28, 1940.

REC'D.

Dear Sir:

I desire to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 26th instant, in which you seek additional information with respect to the re-opening of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

The records here indicate that in a letter dated June 25, 1940, you recommended that instead of closing the school during the month of September it should be closed during the month of January, as that month appeared to you to be the least satisfactory in so far as attendance was concerned. Your recommendation at that time was accepted by the Department, and the fact that the provincial schools may or may not open until September 16 does not alter the departmental decision in any way. This school will therefore open this year on September 3.

Yours truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare and Training.

Mr. J. M. Farrell,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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PLEASE QUOTE
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Golden Lake Ont. October 18th,1940

Secretary
Indian Affairs Branch
Dept. of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa,

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
OCT 23 1940
REGISTERED

Dear sir,-

Mrs M. George teacher at the Golden Lake Indian School, informs me that she has not received her pay for the month of September. I would ask you to forward same as soon as possible,

I forwarded a requisition for School material required at the Golden Lake Indian School , about one month ago, The lack of this material is holding up the school work, Mrs George is an excellent Teacher but can not work with out material. I might add that I forwarded a requisition for School material in July last, made out by Miss Currier before She resigned, and this one was not filled Either. Kindly give this matter you immediate attention

written on 11-1-41 21/10/40.

Your [illegible]
J M Farrell Indian agent

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Ottawa,
October 22, 1940.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School
No. 394

In my memorandum of June 11 I advised you that Mrs. Mary George had been appointed teacher and that the school would be in operation from October 1, 1940, to June 30, 1941.

Owing to local conditions it was decided that it would be preferable to have this school operated in September, 1940, and closed during the month of January, 1941. Consequently a cheque should be forwarded to Mrs. George immediately for her salary for the month of September, 1940, and a cheque should also be forwarded to her at the end of October, November, December, February, March, April, May and June.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Golden Lake, Ont. November 21st, 1940

Secretary
Indian Affairs Branch
Dept. of Mines and Resources
Ottawa

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
NOV 22 1940
REGISTERED

Dear sir,-

Mrs Mary C. George teacher at the Golden Lake Indian School, showed me her pay cheques for the months of September and October each pay cheque was reduced from $80.00 to 76.00 atotal of $4.00 per month which works out at 5%. If this reduction was made for Defence tax purposes, it seem to me to be excessive, according to the forms filled out by Mrs George. I am under the impression that Mrs George should not be liable for this tax at all, since she has a daughter age ten years to support. The cheque Nos are as follows,- D006441 and D020768. Kindly give this matter you attention and in due time I would appreciate an explanation.

Your obedient servant

J M Farrell

Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, November 22nd, 1940.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your letter addressed to the Secretary, Indian Affairs Branch, dated November 21st, 1940, with reference to 5% deduction made from the salary of Mrs. Mary C. George, teacher at Golden Lake Indian School.

In explanation of the above mentioned deduction, I have to inform you that according to Order-in-Council No.1/15969 dated April 19th, 1940, 5% of the salary of employees in the Public Service appointed to temporary positions (other than casual) since September 1st, 1939, is required to be withheld from May 1st, 1940, and deposited in the Retirement Fund to be paid to the employee, on retirement, with interest at 4% per annum.

As Mrs. Mary George was appointed October 1st, 1940, she is therefore subject to the aforesaid Order-in-Council.

Yours truly,

L.W. McCutcheon
Chief Treasury Officer.

J.M. Farrell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ontario.

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Golden Lake, Ont. May 12,1941

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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Secretary
Indian Affairs Branch
Dept. of Mines and Resources
Ottawa

Dear sir,-

Mrs George the teacher at the Golden Lake Indian school, informs me that she is having some trouble with one or two of the parents of children attending school calling at the school very frequently with little complaits.

Are parents allowed to call at the school any time they wish with little complaits or should they place them before the Indian Agent.

Your obedient servant

J M Farrell

Indian Agent

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Ottawa,
May 14, 1941.

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Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of the 12th instant Indians have no right to bother the teacher at the school. Any complaints they have should be made to you.

I believe it would be desirable to bring the matter to the attention of the Indian Constable in order that he may prevent Indians calling at the school when it is in session.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. J.M. Farrell,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Egansville, Ont.
July 15, 1941.

The Secretary
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ont.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES & RESOURCES
Indian Affairs Branch
JUL 18 1941
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Dear Sir:

The higher living costs besides the fact that I have a child to support and educate have made it necessary for me to apply for an increase in salary.

When I applied for the position of teacher in the Golden Lake Indian School I had been informed the salary was $900. and I found the salary of $720. to which it had been reduced very inadequate.

I have ten years experience in teaching and a very good record as a teacher.

My husband the late A. B. George was a Lieutenant with the Canadian Engineers in the last war.

Trusting my request will be met with favourable

Yours respectfully,
(Mrs.) Mary C. George

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Golden Lake Ont. July 16th,1941

Secretary
Indian Affairs Branch
Department of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
JUL 18 194
REGISTERED

Dear sir,-

Mrs Mary George Teacher at the Golden Lake Indian School advises me that she has written to you asking for an increase in her salary.

I have to say that Mrs George is a very efficient and hard working teacher, and has made quite an improvement on the school children in the past year. One example is that She has taught the children to speak out , which is something new for this School. I can assure you that if it is found necessary to replace her it will be difficult to find another Teacher who will take the interest in the children and work as hard as She did.

I recommend an increase in her salary and I trust you will find it possible to grant her request.

I might add that her husband was an OFFICER. in the last War, and She has a daughter age about ten years

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To support.

Your obedient servant

J M Jarvis

Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, July 18, 1941.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY.

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School, No. 394.

It has been decided to increase the salary of the teacher of the above named school - Mrs. Mary George - from $80.00 to $90.00 a teaching month, effective October 1, 1941.

I enclose copy of letter authorizing this increase.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa, July 18, 1941.

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Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of the 15th instant, it has been decided to increase your salary from $80. to $90.00 a teaching month, effective October 1, 1941.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mrs. Mary George,
Eganville, Ont.

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Eganville, Ont.,
Sept. 17, 1941.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
SEP 19 194
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The Secretary,
Dept. of Mines and Resources,
Indian Affairs' Branch,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:

If I try the Civil Service Examination and am successful would I be given a leave of absence from teaching to do war work.

Am I entitled to the Cost of Living Bonus as granted to the Civil Service.

Yours truly,
Mrs. Mary C. George,
teacher, Indian Day School,
Golden Lake.

Address: Eganville.

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Ottawa,
September 22, 1941.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of the 17th instant it will not be possible for the Department to give you leave of absence without pay from the Golden Lake School if you intend to take up other duties.

I understand that the teachers of Indian day schools will receive the cost-of-living bonus.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mrs. Mary C. George,
Eganville, Ont.

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Egansville, Ont.,
Oct. 31, 1941.

The Secretary
Dept. of Mines and Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
Ottawa, Ont.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES & RESOURCES
Indian Affairs Branch
NOV 3 1941
REGISTERED

Dear Sir:

To-day I received my cheque for the month of October.

The arrangement was made last year through Mr. Farrell, the Indian Agent at Golden Lake that I teach during the month of September and not in January. As I have not received a cheque for the month of September I would appreciate it if you would look into the matter.

Yours truly,
Mrs. Mary A. George
teacher, Indian School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Ottawa,
November 3, 1941.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day
School No. 394

The above-mentioned school was open for the month of September, 1941, and will be closed for the month of January, 1942.

It would be appreciated if you would forward to the teacher, Mrs. Mary C. George, salary for the month of September plus the cost-of-living bonus. No payment should be made to her for the month of January next.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa,
November 3, 1941.

EXD.

Dear Madam:

With reference to your letter of the 31st ultimo I may say that this was the first intimation that we had received that the Golden Lake School was open during the month of September. While it is true that this arrangement was approved last year, a circular letter was forwarded to all teachers and Indian Agents early this spring advising them that the Department desired Indian day schools to be closed during the month of September and open continuously from October 1, to June 30.

However, as apparently either you have disregarded these instructions or you did not receive them it has been decided to allow you salary for the month of September and it is noted that the school will be closed for the month of January.

For the academic year 1942-43 the Department wishes the Golden Lake School to conform with other Indian day schools throughout Canada.

Yours truly,

Mrs. Mary C. George,
Teacher,
Indian Day School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Ottawa, November 3, 1941.

EX'D.

Memorandum:

Dr. McGill

I beg to submit the following report covering my visit to Golden Lake Agency from October 30 to November 1.

x x x

SCHOOL:

The school was visited and found clean and in good order. Mrs. George continues to impress one most favourably as a competent teacher, and one taking a keen interest in the students under her care. Attendance has not been good since school opened and of 27 on roll the average attendance is only 17. The homes of the children not attending regularly were visited and the parents warned. Seymour Jocko promised to have his two children attend regularly. Mrs. Peter Meness also promised her two children would attend. Peter Jocko has a very small child at school only five years of age. As this child is too young to grasp any knowledge Mrs. Jocko was visited and advised to keep the child at home another year. Seven windows in the basement are broken. Matthew Barnard the caretaker, was instructed to have them replaced forthwith.

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W.S. Arneil,
Inspector of Indian Agencies.

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St. James Presbytery
BOX 209
EGANVILLE - ONTARIO.
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January 7th 1942

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Mr. Philip Phelan,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Mr. Phelan,

During the last two years Miss Mary George has been the teacher in the Indian School at Golden Lake - a mission of my parish. She has done splendid work with the children.

She finds the salary inadequate and has been offered a salary in the Government at a much better salary. Surely when teachers are so scarce the department could give her a salary of at least $1000.00. It would be too bad to see her go, if her services could be retained at that salary.

If she remains could she be allowed to teach in September and take the month of January

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EGANVILLE - ONTARIO.
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N- as she has done for the last two years. Last year some difficulty was made by the department because she did this. It is much easier to get the children out to school in September that it is in January.

Trusting that you will be able to do something to help to retain her services,

I am, Gratefully Yours,

W. P. Breen, O.P.

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Ottawa,
July 31, 1942.

Dear Father Breen:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 27th instant, with reference to Mrs. Mary George, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School. Very careful consideration has been given to your suggestion that this teacher receive an increase in salary, but I regret that such action is not possible. At the present time Mrs. George is being paid $90.00 a teaching month, plus bonus of 11%. This compares very favourably with salaries paid at other Indian day schools throughout the Province. It is true that the academic year is only nine months, but this cannot be avoided at present, due to the fact that our appropriation has been reduced owing to the very heavy financial demands occasioned by the war. If Mrs. George decides to remain, we would be prepared to allow her to open the school in September and close during the month of January. I think you will agree that it is only fair to all parties concerned for Mrs. George to decide immediately whether or not she intends to teach next year. If she does not teach, we will have to endeavour to secure another teacher and we should be in a position to take action in the near future.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Rev. W.P. Breen,
Eganville, Ont.

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Eganville, Ont.,
August 4, 1942.

Mr Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division
Dept of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:

I have decided to remain at Golden Lake for the next year.

I appreciate and thank you for allowing me to teach in Septembr and close the school in January. This is very helpful in many ways.

Yours truly,
Mary George.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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Ottawa,
August 6, 1942.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School
No. 394

During the academic year 1942-43 this school will be open as follows:

September 1 - December 31, 1942, inclusive;
February 1 - June 30, 1943, inclusive.

You will note from the above that the school will be closed during the month of January, 1943.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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Ottawa,
August 6, 1942.

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Dear Sir:

With reference to the Golden Lake Indian Day School it has been decided to re-open this school on September 1 and it will continue in operation to December 22, 1942. It will be closed for the month of January, 1943, but will be re-opened on the 1st of February and continue to June 30.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mr. H.P. Ruddy,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Ottawa, August 26, 1942.

Dear Sir:

RE: Seymour Jocko's Son.

In connection with complaints of the school teacher regarding the behaviour of Seymour's son in school, you are instructed to inform the father that the boy must attend school on the beginning and conduct himself properly. If there are any further complaints about his behaviour, this office will take action to have him placed in a residential school.

Yours very truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

H. P. Ruddy, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
GOLDEN LAKE,
Ontario.

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Egganville, Ont.
Sept. 15, 1942.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Mines and Resources
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ont.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch.
SEP 18 1942
REGISTERED

Dear Sir:

Having received an offer of a position from the Civil Service Commission I would like to know what steps I should have to take or what the difficulty might be to be released from my present position should I decide or wish to accept. There is a difference in salary of about $400.

As I have to reply by Saturday I shall appreciate an answer by return mail.

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Yours truly
Mrs. Mary C. George
(teacher - Golden Lake Indian Day School)
Address - Box 118
Egganville, Ont.

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Ottawa, September 16, 1942.

Dear Madam:

I have for acknowledgment your letter of the 15th instant in which you intimate that you have been offered a position by the Civil Service Commission, which is likely to be much more remunerative than the position you now occupy.

I note from the records here that you were granted permission to teach in September. This means that your successor, when we secure one, will receive compensation for only an 8 month teaching period. In view of all the circumstances, I am accepting your resignation, on the understanding that your services at the school will terminate on Friday September 18. This will enable you to take up your position with the Civil Service Commission almost immediately. It will also enable us to offer a new teacher a longer teaching period.

Yours sincerely,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mrs. Mary C. George,
Box 118,
Eganville, Ont.

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Ottawa, September 16, 1942.

Dear Miss Gallant:

I am today in receipt of the resignation of the teacher who has been for a number of years in charge of the Indian day school at Golden Lake, Ontario.

Golden Lake is approximately 100 miles due west of Ottawa. If you are interested in this school, we would be glad to offer it to you. The salary is $90.00 per teaching month, plus 17% cost-of-living bonus.

There is not a teacher's residence on this reserve, but I have been informed that you will experience no difficulty in securing a suitable boarding house. It is just possible that the Indian Agent might be prepared to provide you with board and room.

An immediate reply to this communication would be very much appreciated.

Yours very truly,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare and Training.

Miss Mary Bernetta Gallant,
382 Rideau Street,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Ottawa, September 16, 1942.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School, No. 394.

I desire to refer you to Mr. Phelan's memorandum of August 6, in which you were advised that the above-noted school would be open from September 1 to December 31, 1942, inclusive; and from February 1 to June 30, 1943, inclusive.

The Department has now received a letter from the teacher at this school, Mrs. Mary C. George, in which she states that she has been offered an appointment by the Civil Service Commission. Mrs. George has been informed that her resignation is accepted, on the understanding that her services at the school will terminate on Friday September 18. She should therefore be paid from September 1 to September 18, and no further payment should be made to her.

You will be informed when a successor is appointed to Mrs. George.

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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The Secretary,
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

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I received your letter of the 16th inst and have accordingly terminated my duties at the Golden Lake Indian School as of Friday, September 18th.

Yours truly
Mary C. George

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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259 Isabella St.,
Pembroke, Ont.

The Secretary;
Dept. of Mines and Resources.
Indian Affairs Branch,
Ottawa, Ont.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES & RESOURCES
Indian Affairs Branch
OCT 23 1942
REGISTERED

Dear Sir -

Will you kindly advise me as to whom I should apply for superannuation due me on account of payments made while teaching in the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

I understood it would be paid when my duties expired.

Yours truly,
Mary C. George
New Address - 259 Isabella St.
Pembroke,
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S.O.S. Sept 19/42

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Ottawa,
October 29, 1942.

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Dear Madam:

I have your recent letter applying for the amount to your credit in the superannuation fund. The Department was under the impression that you left our employ as teacher in order to take a position with the Dominion Civil Service. I should appreciate your advising the name of the Department by which you are employed.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

Mrs. Mary C. George,
259 Isabella St.,
Pembroke, Ont.

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Mr. Phelan
#3944 Golden Lake No 7 #11

259 Isabella St.
Pembroke, Ont.
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Mr. Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division
Dept. of Mines and Resources,
Ottawa, Ont.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
NOV 7 1942

Dear Sir -

I am now employed by the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

I was not sure whether or not my superannuation while teaching at Golden Lake was taken care of by the Teacher's Superannuation Fund by the Civil Service. I take it for granted it is held by the Civil Service and that it will be paid on the expiration of my employment with that body.

Have requested a refund if found.

Yours truly,
Mary C. George.

P.O.

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Ottawa,
November 9, 1942.

EXL.

Dear Madam:

I have your recent letter in which you advise that you are employed by the Unemployment Insurance Commission. As you are still in the employ of the Government, the amount to your credit in the superannuation fund will be retained. A statement of the amount to your credit will be forwarded later.

Yours truly,

R.A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Mrs. Mary C. George,
259 Isabella Street,
Pembroke, Ont.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE II-I-I

Golden Lake, Ont.
Dec. 17th, 1942.

The Secretary, Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir :-

RE- Re-opening of the Golden Lake Indian Day School on February Ist, 1942.

According to your letter of August 6th, 1942 the Golden Lake Indian Day School was to reopen on February the Ist, 1943, and continue to June 30th.

Miss McNulty the present teacher tells me that she took this school with the understanding that she would have nine months teaching during the present school year. If this is so, kindly let me know as soon as possible what date the school should be re-opened.

Your Obedient Servant,

H.P. Ruddy

H.P.Ruddy,
Indian Agent.

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CHIEF COMMISSIONER

R. J. TALLON
COMMISSIONER

ALLAN M. MITCHELL
COMMISSIONER

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UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COMMISSION

Ottawa, Ontario,
March 23, 1943.

The Deputy Minister,
Dept. of Mines & Resources,
OTTAWA, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

Department of Mines & Resources
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Re: Mrs. Mary Catherine George

Will you be good enough to complete and return the attached form on behalf of the above-mentioned employee who claims previous service with your Department. An extra copy is attached for your file.

It will be appreciated if you will also forward a Salary Service Record, at your earliest convenience.

Yours very truly,

for R. F. McDonald,
Acting Chief of Personnel

Mrs George
taught at Gulliver Pub
Sch Indian Pub
Sept 1/40 to
Sept 18/42
P. T. Bulger
8/31/43

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Miss Phelan

Understand Mrs. George was a School Teacher and as such was not a Civil Servant under the Civil Service Act and would therefore not have accumulated any leave credits.

Would suggest a reply accordingly.

J. M. C.

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Ottawa, April 8, 1943.

R. F. McDonald, Esq., Acting Chief of Personnel,
Unemployment Insurance Commission, Ottawa.

Re: Mrs. Mary Catherine George

With reference to letter of March 23, 1943, I have to advise you that Mrs. George was employed as a School Teacher at the Golden Lake Indian Reserve from September 1, 1940, to September 18, 1942.

As Civil Service Leave Regulations did not apply during her period of service as School Teacher, she did not accumulate any leave credits during this period.

Sgd. C. W. JACKSON

Chief Executive Assistant.

Sent- April 12/43—

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE II-I-4

Golden Lake, Ont.
March 8th, 1944.

Indian Affairs Branch,
Dept. of Mines and Resources.
Ottawa, Can.

MAR 10 1944

Cheif, Training Division.

RE- Golden Lake Indian Day School.

I wish to inform you that Miss McNulty re-opened the Indian Day School on March 7th, Please find attached a letter from Dr. MacKinnon of Renfrew Ont. explaining Miss McNulty's reason for not teaching this last two weeks.

Would it be possible for you to forward some Indian Day School Report forms (Form No. I.A. 409) to me as the forms that were at the school seem to have been misplaced and the teacher will need them for the quarter ending March 31st. Thanking you I remain,

Your obedient servant,

H. P. Ruddy

H. P. Ruddy,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, October 18, 1944.

Dear Miss MacNulty:

I have for acknowledgment your letter of October 14 and have noted with interest the statements contained therein.

May I state without hesitation that you are wholly in error when you state:

"I feel that as all your teachers have free quarters the Department should pay my room rent."

I can think of dozens of schools in Ontario and in the West where no accommodation whatever is provided for Indian day school teachers. I am not suggesting by any means that this is an ideal condition. I am simply submitting it as a statement of fact. Then, too, it does seem somewhat strange to me that these demands for additional accommodation should reach us at a time when this Nation is fighting for its very existence and when there appears to be an acute shortage of building materials and skilled construction workers.

May I point out also that Indian day school teachers and Civil Servants in the lower salary brackets qualify for the cost-of-living bonus. This bonus is not paid, however, to a great many Civil Servants whose salaries are a little higher and who have without protest accepted the higher cost of living as a patriotic duty. However, in view of all the circumstances, I am recommending that your salary be increased by $5.00 per month. It is my hope that this action on my part will prove satisfactory to you.

Yours sincerely,

R. A. Hoey,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

Miss M. MacNulty,
Teacher, Indian Day School,
Golden Lake, Ontario.

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Ottawa, October 18, 1944.

Mr. H. P. Ruddy, Indian Agent, Golden Lake, Ont.

The Department has decided to grant an increase in salary to Miss M. MacNulty, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School. Her salary will be at the rate of $100.00 per teaching month - an increase of $5.00 - effective October 1, 1944.

For Deputy Minister.

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Ottawa, August 3, 1945.

Memorandum:-

- Director -

At the time of my visits to Golden Lake during the past year I have received many complaints from Indian women against the teacher Miss M. MacNulty.

At first I was of the opinion that as the complaints were of a trivial nature that through time they would correct themselves. This, however, is not the case. It appears that Miss MacNulty has aggravated conditions by discussing the family affairs amongst the children during class hours. The agent states that she was especially nasty to Mrs. J. Lavalley, and just before school closed it took him all of a week to iron out their differences. Mrs. Lavalley at the time was threatening to leave the reserve. This, in my opinion, would be serious as Mrs. Lavalley has been very actively engaged working among members of the Homemaker's Club assisting and advising Indian women in the improvement of their homes, gardens, care of chickens, remodelling clothing, etc.

I hesitated to investigate these minor complaints as I felt that they would be magnified way out of proportion. I am convinced, however, in spite of the good classroom work being accomplished by Miss MacNulty, that in the interests of the Golden Lake Indians her services as teacher there should not be continued for another term.

I would recommend that an effort be made to obtain another teacher.

J. E. Morris

J. E. Morris,
Welfare Division.

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Ottawa, August 3rd, 1945.

Mr. H.P. Ruddy, Indian Agent, Golden Lake, Ontario.

It has been decided to dispense with the services of Miss MacNulty as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

I enclose a letter addressed to her notifying her of our decision. We would have mailed it direct to her but I am not certain whether or not she is living at Golden Lake for the summer or if she is at home in Renfrew. Please address the letter to wherever she is living so that she may get the letter as soon as possible. It will be necessary for you to pay the postage on the envelope.

It may be difficult to secure another teacher by September 1st but if we receive any applications I will let you know. However, you should make immediate inquiries from the neighbouring Parish Priests with a view to ascertaining if they know of any teacher who might be interested in this school. We are prepared to allow a qualified teacher $100.00 a teaching month plus bonus of seventeen percent. As you know five percent of the basic salary or $5.00 a month is deducted and placed in the Retirement Fund. This amount is returned with interest when the teacher gives up duties in an Indian school. There is, of course, the usual deductions for Income Tax but the rate of deduction for this tax is the same in a White school as it is in an Indian school. If you hear of any teacher whose services can be secured you should advise this office immediately.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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PLEASE QUOTE
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II-I-I

April 25, 1946.

Cheif, Training Division,
Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ont.

Re: Enlagement of Golden Lake Indian Day School.

I wish to inform you that we now have thirty-nine pupils attending the Golden Lake Indian Day School. To accommodate this number of pupils we are utilising every bit of space in the classroom. The extra number of pupils who have recently entered the school are children of families who were living away from the Reserve during the war years, and have now moved back. There is a possibility that more families will move back to the Reserve in the near future.

Taking these families into consideration along with the children now on the Reserve who will be old enough to start school in the autumn, I find that we will have an enrolment of between forty-five and fifty in the school before any of the present pupils have either reached the age of sixteen or passed their entrance. Therefore the present school will have to be enlarged to two rooms to accommodate this many. I would suggest that an official from the Training Division visit this Agency in the near future to inspect the school and see what can be done with regard to an additional classroom.

Your obedient servant,

H. P. Ruddy

H. P. Ruddy,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, April 29, 1946.

EXD.

Mr. H. P. Ruddy, Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ontario.

I have your letter of the 25th instant, with reference to the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

Owing to the present policy of encouraging the erection of private homes, our public building program has been somewhat curtailed this year. No provision was made in our appropriation for the fiscal year 1946-47 for an addition to the Golden Lake School.

Do you expect that the maximum number of 50 children, mentioned in your letter, will desire to attend the school for the academic year 1946-47, which opens on September 1?

If a second classroom is definitely needed for the next academic year, would it be possible to rent a building on the Golden Lake Reserve? I realize that such a building might not be exactly suitable, but it might serve the purpose for a year or so, until the necessary addition can be erected. I would be pleased to hear from you further.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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MAY 8 1946

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FILE

II-I-I

May 7th. 1946.

Cheif, Training Division,
Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ont.

Re: GOLDEN LAKE INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

EXD.

I acknowledge your letter of April 29th. last, with regard to a second classroom in the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

In answer I wish to inform you that we will definetly have 44 pupils in the school for the academic year 1946-47. In addition to this number it is quite possible that Indian families, who have been living away from the Reserve during the War years, may move back. If this happens then our school attendance may reach well over the fifty mark. This sudden increase in the number of pupils attending this school is partially due to the Family Allowance regulations which says that a child has to start school at six years of age when formerly Indian children started when they were seven or eight years old. Also as I stated in my previous letter a number of Indian families have moved back to their homes on the Reserve. This increase was unforeseen when making the estimates for 1946-47. The classroom now in this school normally holds about twenty-seven pupils but by useing chairs and tables and every inch of available space we have an attendance of thirty-nine.

In your letter you suggested that a building be rented, on the Reserve, which could be used as a classroom for the comming year. With regard to this I wish to inform you that all available buildings are being used as homes and with the exception of the Community hall and strehouse (which we intend to complete this summer) there is no other building which we could use. By raising the roof on the present school a second classroom might be build above at less cost than building a new wing, also save cost in heating. However I would like to have an official of the Training Division visit the school before making any recommendation.

Your obedient servant,

W. P. Ruddy Indian Agent.

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PLEASE QUOTE
FILE_____

II-I-I

July 2nd, 1946.

Department of Mines & Resources
Indian Affairs Branch
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Cheif, Training Division,
Indian Affaits Branch, Ottawa, Ont.

Re: TEACHER FOR INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

With regard to a second teacher for the Golden Lake Indian Day School for the fall term, I would ask the Department for permission to insert an advertisement in one of the local newspapers for this purpose. I would also ask the Department to specify the qualifications required of this assistant teacher, the salary and etc.

Teachers are rather scarce around this part of the country at present so I would ask for an early reply so that this ad could be inserted as soon as possible. Miss Legris is returning for the fall term, and will be the Principal.

Your obedient servant,

H. P. Ruddy

H. P. Ruddy,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, July 15, 1946.

Mr. H. P. Ruddy, Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ontario.

EX'D.

With reference to your letter of the 2nd instant, regarding a second teacher for the Golden Lake Indian Day School, you may offer the same salary as paid the present teacher, namely, $100.00 a teaching month plus bonus.

You have authority to insert advertisements in the local newspapers. The bill can then be forwarded to us, attached to vouchers.

You should try to obtain the services of a certificated teacher, preferably one holding a second class certificate or better. A personal interview will enable you to select the teacher you want and one able to get along with Miss Legris. A teacher with experience is preferable, but a Normal School graduate will often compensate with zeal and eagerness her lack of experience.

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Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Ottawa, August 29, 1946.

Mr. H.P. Ruddy, Indian Agent, Golden Lake, Ontario.

With reference to your voucher No. 127 for advertisement in The Leader, it will be necessary for us to have a copy of the paper in which the advertisement appeared. Please forward this at once.

EX'D.

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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II-I-I (WTI)

Golden Lake, Ont.
August 30, 1946.

Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa,

Re: VOUCHER NO. I27.

Please find attached, a copy of the Eganville Leader as requested in your letter of August 29th. last. The advertisement for a teacher for the Golden Lake Indian Day School appeared in three copies dated July 26th, August 2nd and August I6th.

Your obedient servant,

H. P. Ruddy

H. P. Ruddy,
Indian Agent.

Department of Mines & Resources
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EX'D.

Ottawa, September 4, 1946.

Dear Sir:

I attach herewith account covering the cost of advertising in the Eganville Leader for a teacher for the Golden Lake Indian Day School. I also attach copy of the newspaper in which the advertisement was published. There were three insertions namely, July 26th, August 2nd and August 16th.

Yours truly,

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

The King's Printer,
Ottawa, Ontario.

Encl:

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#137

Ottawa, 12 September 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

RE: Golden Lake Indian Day School - No. 394

Owing to increased attendance it was found necessary to appoint a second teacher at this school. Miss Marie Elizabeth Sullivan has been appointed at a salary of $125.00 a teaching month effective September 1st, 1946. We have not yet received her T.D. 1 Form but I understand that she is single without dependents. The Staff Questionnaire will reach you shortly.

Miss Lyons #117

for Deputy Minister.

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Ottawa, 8 October 1946.

EX'D.
A.

Mr. H.P. Ruddy, Indian Agent,
GOLDEN LAKE, Ontario.

With reference to your letter of the 4th instant, our letter of the same date advised you of the arrangements made for the salary of Miss Legris.

The consolidation of the bonus with the basic salary caused so much extra work that the salary cheques of newly appointed teachers were delayed. However, we are advised by the Treasury Branch that the cheque for Miss Sullivan has now gone forward.

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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SOUTH RENFREW TEACHERS' CONVENTION
to be held in the
SEPARATE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
R e n f r e w
October 25th, 1946 at 9.30 A. M.

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P R O G R A M M E

9.30	Prayers - Rev. Father Sloan Bible Reading - Rev. H. B. Neal Remarks - Rev. Father Sloan Remarks - Rev. H. B. Neal
9.45	Treasurer's Report on Finances. Discussion of Formation of Regular Executive for the Convention.
10.00	Address - Col. S. A. Watson, Assistant Superintendent of Elementary Education for the Province of Ontario.
10.45	Remarks - Inspector J. T. Anderson
11.00	Address - A. B. C. Throop, Principal Renfrew Collegiate Institute.
11.45	Presentation of Music Festival Shields by C. Moore, President, Renfrew Rotary Club.

*** ADJOURN FOR LUNCH ***

1.45	Remarks - Inspector H. Bolingbroke
2.00	Address - W. K. Kendrick, Principal, Ottawa Normal School.
2.30	Adjourn to Federation Meetings.

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PLEASE NOTE:

All teachers who do not attend the Convention will be expected to teach in their schools as usual.

Teachers may if they wish apply to R. A. Padget of the Renfrew Bus Lines for special transportation. If enough teachers apply a special bus will operate from Barry's Bay to Renfrew on the morning of October 25th, to arrive in Renfrew at 9.30 A. M.

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P.S. Although you belong to North Renfrew Teacher's Institute I think that you could attend at Renfrew. It is probable that there will be Convention in North Renfrew this year.

J.L.A.

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II-I-I (W.T.I)

PLEASE QUOTE
FILE_____

Golden Lake, Ontario.
October 24th, 1946

Cheif, Training Division,
Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ont.

Re: SOUTH RENFREW TEACHERS' CONVENTION./(Copy attached).

Attached is a copy of the Programme of the South Renfrew Teachers' Convention which will be held in the Seperate School at Renfrew, Ont. to-morrow.

Mr. J. T. Anderson, Seperate School Inspector for South Renfrew,and also Inspector of the Golden Lake Indian Day School,sent this Programme to Miss Legris. The notation at the bottom was made by Mr. Anderson. According to this notation,this will be the only Teachers' Convention that will be held this year and as I did not have time to write you regarding the attendance of the teachers of the Golden Lake Indian Day School at this Convention,I took the liberty of giving them permission to attend. I hope that this will meet with your approval for as far as I know this is the first Teachers' Convention that has been held in this county since early in the war.

I would like to know whether November IIth. will be a School holiday. It is not mentioned in the list of holidays in Circular # C-I50-48 but I understand that it will be a holiday in the Public Schools of Ontario.

Your obedient servant,

H. P. Ruddy,
Indian Agent.

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DEPARTMENT
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Golden Lake, Ontario.
October 24th, 1946.

Cheif, Training Division,
Indian Affairs Branch, Ottawa, Ont.

RE: OPENING OF SECOND CLASSROOM
AT GOLDEN LAKE INDIAN DAY SCHOOL.

I wish to inform you that we opened the second classroom of the Golden Lake Indian Day School. Miss Sullivan started to teach in the Community Hall on the Reserve on Monday, October 2Ist, and she has Grades I, II, and III in this classroom. She has a total of 25 pupils in these three Grades.(II boys and I4 girls). Miss Legris, the principal, is teaching Grades VI, VII, and VIII and has 2I pupils (I2 boys and 9 girls) in the old school.

I had to get some additional equipment for this second classroom which included, 2 brooms; I dust-pan; I water pail; I washbasin; I alarm clock for class-room; and 2 padlocks for the toilet doors. The total cost of these articles was $7.95.

Your obedient servant,

H. P. Ruddy

H. P. Ruddy,
Indian Agent.

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Ottawa, 29 October 1946.

Mr. H.P. Ruddy, Indian Agent,
GOLDEN LAKE, Ontario.

South Renfrew Teachers' Convention

The Department approves the attendance of the Golden Lake Indian Day School teachers at the above convention on Oct. 25th, 1946.

The Government has declared the observance of Nov. 11th a day of Remembrance and it will be observed in all our Indian schools as a holiday.

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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Ottawa, 29 October 1946.

Mr. H.P. Ruddy, Indian Agent,
GOLDEN LAKE, Ontario.

EX'D.
A.

Opening of second Classroom at
Golden Lake Indian Day School

The purchase of the following items to the cost of $7.95 for the new classroom at the above school is authorized:- 2 brooms, 1 dustpan, 1 washbasin, 1 alarm clock and 2 pad locks for toilet doors.

Bernard F. Neary,
Supt. of Welfare & Training.

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St. Joseph's Convent
Douglas Ontario
Jan. 16/47.

Dear Sirs:

I taught in the Indian School on the Golden Lake Reserve some thirty years ago. Will you kindly search your records and give me the exact dates of my term there. In order to qualify for superannuation it is necessary for me to know the year in which I began, the year I left and the salary I received. I will be most grateful for this information.

Thanking You in anticipation,

I remain,
Yours Sincerely
Sister M. Agnes
Leona M. Schrader
Douglas
Ontario

Began apr 1908
left Dec 1915
Sidney

$500
450
400
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Ottawa, 21 January 1947.

Rev. Sister St. Agnes,
St. Joseph's Convent,
DOUGLAS, Ontario.

E B D

Dear Sister:-

With reference to your letter of the 16th instant, our records indicate that you began duties as teacher at the Golden Lake School on April 1, 1908 and continued to December 31, 1915.

In 1908 you were paid salary at the rate of $350.00 a year; in 1909-$400.00 a year; in 1910 - $450 a year; from 1911 to 1915 - $500.00 a year.

Yours truly,

Philip Phelan,
Chief, Training Division.

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EX'D.

Ottawa, July 16, 1947.

Memorandum:

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School, No. 394.

The teachers at the above school, Miss Mamie Legris and Miss Marie Sullivan, have been appointed as teachers, Indian School, Grade III. Effective 1 September, 1947, the salaries of these teachers will be as follows:

Miss Mamie Legris	-	$1,680.00
Miss Marie Sullivan	-	1,500.00

per academic year, in accordance with the regulations of our Indian school teachers' salary schedule as approved by Treasury Board.

For Deputy Minister.

HFN/HM

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July 14, 1948.

Golden Lake Indian Day School.

Dear Sir:

Our new salary schedule requires reference to a teacher's inspection reports before a salary can be set. Our records indicate that the last report received upon the Golden Lake Indian Day School is dated November 25, 1946.

Could you please advise me whether it will be possible for you to visit this school during the 1948-49 academic year.

Sincerely yours,

Bernard F. Neary,
Superintendent of Education.

W. G. Chatterton, Esq., B.A.,
Public School Inspector,
Pembroke, Ontario.

BFN/EM

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, July 27, 1948.

Memorandum:

CHIEF TREASURY OFFICER.

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School
No. 394.

Under the provisions of the New salary schedule, the Department has classified the two teachers at the above school, effective September 1, 1948, as follows:

(a) Miss Margaret Legris as a Grade 3 teacher at a salary of $1980. an academic year. She has been given credit for a First Class Certificate, ten years' Provincial School Experience and three years' Indian School Experience. (MR-IAE-394-3001).

(b) Miss Marie Sullivan as a Grade 2 teacher at a salary of $1740. an academic year. She has been given credit for a Second Class Certificate, three years' experience in Provincial Schools and two years' experience in Indian Schools. (MR-IAE-394-3002).

for Deputy Minister.

BFN/HM.

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SUBJECT GOLDEN LAKE
DAY SCHOOL
GENERAL

CORRESPONDENCE FROM JUNE 1928
TO Sept 14-8

NO FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE
TO BE PLACED ON THIS FILE

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30 1913

NAME OF TEACHER.	NAME OF SCHOOL.	Annual Grant or Salary.	Amount Due.	Address to which Cheque is to be sent.
Leona M. Schnuder	Golden Lake	$ 500 -	$ 125 50	Teacher Eganville Que.

No. of School days in quarter.....
No. days School was open.....
No. holidays .....
Grant asked for .....

Remarks:

Certified correct-
24 - 6 - 13.

J. O. L.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

Supt. or Ag

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is aske stated: payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED Sept. 30. 1913

NAME OF TEACHER.	NAME OF SCHOOL.	Annual Grant or Salary.	Amount Due.	Address to which Cheque is to be sent.
Leora M. Schneider	Golden Lake	$ 500 00	$ 125 00	Golden Lake Ont.

No. of School days in quarter 66
No. days School was open 21
No. holidays 45
Grant asked for ..... $125.

Remarks:—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
8.10.13
I.V.B.

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins.
Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED Dec. 31st 19 13

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
L. M. Schruder	Golden Lake Indian	$ 500 00	125 00	Eganville Ont.

No. of School days in quarter ..... 55-66 .....
No. days School was open ..... 55 .....
No. holidays ..... 11 .....
Grant asked for ..... $ 125 .....

Remarks:

CERTIFIED CORRECT
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J. D. D

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st 1914.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Leona M. Schruder.	Golden Lake	$500 00.	~~$125 00~~ $125 00	Eganville Ont.

No. of School days in quarter 62
No. days School was open 59
No. holidays 3
Grant asked for .....

Remarks:

CERTIFIED CORRECT
6 - 4 - 14
A.D.C.

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Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th 1914

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Leona M. Schrader	Golden Lake Indian	500	125 00	Per Egansville Ont.

No. of School days in quarter ..... 63 .....
No. days School was open ..... 55 .....
No. holidays ..... 8 .....
Grant asked for ..... $12.50 .....

Remarks:

I think I am entitled to a grant of at least $7.50 for my school garden. Even that amount is small compared to the amount of work and extra time spent on it. Not Extract

CERTIFIED CORRECT
4-7-14

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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~~FOR QUARTER ENDED~~ June 30th 19 08

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Cora M. Schrader	Golden Lake	$ 350 —	$ 24 50	~~P[illegible]~~ Baldwin

No. of School days in quarter .....
No. days School was open .....
No. holidays .....
Grant asked for .....

Remarks :

Miss Schrader began duties at the sch January 1/08 and taught 114 days to the end of the school year June 30/08. She draws only pd for 100 days and the above bal. is due to completion her salary or for 14 days to June 30/08

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15. 7. 14
J.D.

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED Sept. 30 1914

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary		Amount Due		Address to which Cheque is to be sent
		$		$		
Leona M. Schneider	Golden Lake Indian	500	00	125	00	Golden Lake Ont.

No. of School days in quarter 22
No. days School was open 21
No. holidays 1
Grant asked for ..... $125.

Remarks:

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6-10-14
J.D.C.

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Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31 1914.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
E. M. Schnuder.	Golden Lake.	$500.00	$125.00	Eganville.

No. of School days in quarter ..... 35 .....
No. days School was open ..... 35 .....
No. holidays ..... 5 .....
Grant asked for .....

Remarks:

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30-12-14
J.A.S.

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Lawkins
Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31 1915

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	$ 500.00	$ 125.00	Eganville. Ont.

Teacher
Golden Lake
Ont

No. of School days in quarter 63
No. days School was open 62
No. holidays 1
Grant asked for .....

Remarks:

CERTIFIED CORRECT
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Miss Schneider resigned Dec. 31/14 - Miss Catherine Goulet - appted. to succeed her at - Salary of $ 500 per year - Began duties Jan - 4 - 15:

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30 1915

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Goldens Lake Indian School	$500.00	$125.00	Eganville. Ont.

No. of School days in quarter ... 64
No. days School was open ... 56
No. holidays ... 8
Grant asked for ...

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Remarks:

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I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
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FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th **19** 15

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine M Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	$ 500. 00	$ 125. 00	Eganville, Ont.

No. of School days in quarter.. 92.....

No. days School was open..... 20.....

No. holidays. ..... 2.....

Grant asked for..... $ 125.....

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Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
12-10-15

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Patrick Rankins
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FOR QUARTER ENDED Dec. 31 **19** 15

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	$ 500.00	$ 125.00	Eganville Ont.

No. of School days in quarter..... 66
No. days School was open..... 54
No. holidays..... 12
Grant asked for..... $125.00

Remarks :—

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Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31, **19** 16

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	$ 600.00	$ 150.00	Eganville, Ont.
	LESS contribution to Patriotic fund		$ 5 00	
	CONTRIBUTION TO PATRIOTIC FUND.		$ 145 00	

No. of School days in quarter..... 65
No. days School was open..... 60
No. holidays..... 5
Grant asked for..... $ 150

Remarks :—

Salary of miss Goulet increased to $600 per year from Jany 1/16.

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12-4-16
J.P.C.

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th **1916**

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Gouiet	Golden Lake Indian School	$ 600.00	$ 150.00	Eganville Ont.

No. of School days in quarter..... 65
No. days School was open..... 56
No. holidays..... 9
Grant asked for..... $ 150.00

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated ; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED Sept. 30th 1916

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
		$	$	
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	600.00	150.00	Eganville Ont.

No. of School days in quarter..... 21
No. days School was open..... 19
No. holidays..... 2
Grant asked for..... 150.00

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
A.V.
7-10-16

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

P. Pantaleo
Supt. or Agent.

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Ruby P.O. Ontario
October 5th 16

Sir

Kyn. J. B.

Enclosed herewith "Return of School material and Government property also Teachers salary Pay-list for the Quarter ending September 30th

I remain

Your obedient Servant

P. Rankins

Indian agent

Ruby

The Secretary
Dep. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED Dec. 31st **19** 16

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	$ 600.00	150.00	Eganville. Ont.

No. of School days in quarter... 65
No. days School was open... 52
No. holidays... 13
Grant asked for... $ 150.00

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
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I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

P. Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

Note.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated ; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st **19** 17

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	600.00	150.00	Eganville Ont.

No. of School days in quarter..... 65
No. days School was open..... 63
No. holidays..... 2
Grant asked for..... 150.00

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
4.4.17

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th **19**17

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	600.00	150.00	Eganville Ont.

No. of School days in quarter..... 65
No. days School was open..... 56
No. holidays..... 9
Grant asked for..... 150.

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
13.7.17

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended September 30 1917.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary		Amount Due		Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet.	Golden Lake	600	00	150	00	Golden Lake

No. of school days in quarter 20
No. days school was open 19.
No. holidays 1
Grant asked for $150.00

Remarks:—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
J.H.
10-12-17

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended Dec. 31st 1917.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	$600.00	$150.00	Eganville Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 60
No. days school was open 56
No. holidays 4
Grant asked for $150.

Remarks:—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
A.B.
29.12.17

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

Note.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended March 31, 1918

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	$600.00	$150.00	Eganville Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 64
No. days school was open 61
No. holidays 3
Grant asked for $150.

Remarks:—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
3-4-18

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended June 30th 1918.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	$600.00	150.00	Eganville, Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 65
No. days school was open 56
No. holidays 9
Grant asked for ..... $150.

Remarks:—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
J.D.C.
9-7-18

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Pankins
Supt. or Agent.

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended Sept. 30th 1918

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	$600	$150.	Eganville Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 201
No. days school was open 200
No. holidays 1
Grant asked for $150.

Remarks:—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
3-10-18
M. J. B.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended Dec. 31st 1918

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary.	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	$600.00	$150.00	Eganville, Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 65
No. days school was open. 36
No. holidays. 27
Grant asked for. $150.00

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
P.P.
31.12.18

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

P Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended March 31st 1919.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary.	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian School	$600.00	$150.00	Eganville, Ontario

No. of school days in quarter 64
No. days school was open 60
No. holidays 4
Grant asked for $150.

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
M. J. B.
3-4-19

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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Ruby Creek

April 2 1919

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

Enclosed herewith Pay list for Teachers salary for the quarter Ending March 31st. 1919

Your obedient servant
Patrick Pantons
agent

The Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended June 30th 1919.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary.	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	Golden Lake Indian Day School	$600.00	$150.00	Eganville, Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 65
No. days school was open 56
No. holidays 9
Grant asked for $150.

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
Jas. L. Ryan
3-7-19

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended June 30, 191[illegible]

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Catherine Goulet	GOLDEN LAKE	$500 00	$45 00	Bal. due

No. of school days in quarter .....

No. days school was open .....

No. holidays .....

Grant asked for .....

Remarks :—

Miss Goulet began duties January 4, 1915 and taught 118 days to June 30,1915, the end of that school year for which she is entitled to receive 118/200 of her salary of $500.00 or a total of $295.00. She was only paid $250.00 for that period and the above balance is due her.

Certified Correct

[signature]

14 / 7 / 19.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct

Supt. or Agent.

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended September 30th 1919

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake Dept Indian School	$ 600 00	$ 50 00	Golden Lake Ontario

No. of school days in quarter 21
No. days school was open 21
No. holidays 63
Grant asked for 50

Remarks:—

The holidays mentioned are the Summer holidays during the months of July and August and also Labour Day no other holidays were taken.

CERTIFIED CORRECT
14-10-19
M. J. B.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended SEPTEMBER 30, 1919

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$600 00	$63 00	Pd. for 21 Days

No. of school days in quarter .....
No. days school was open .....
No. holidays .....
Grant asked for .....

Remarks :—

Josephine Currier appointed teacher at salary of $600.00 per annum. Began duties September 2, 1919. Paid for 21 days.

Certified Correct

H. J. B.

14 / 10 / 19.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct

.....
Supt. or Agent

NOTE—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended Dec 31st 19 19

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake Indian Day School	600 00	$150 00	Josephine Currier, Eganville, Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 59
No. days school was open 55.
No. holidays 4.
Grant asked for $150.

CERTIFIED CORRECT
31-12-19
P. P.

Remarks:—

The holidays which were taken were Thanksgiving Day, two days during the Teachers Convention and the eighth of Dec. which was a holy day.
School was open 55 days not counting those holidays.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

P Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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INDIAN AGENT'S OFFICE

Ruby Ontario

Dec 27 1919

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

Enclosed herewith returns of School Material for Golden Lake day School and Voucher for Teacher's salary for Quarter Ending Dec. 31/19

I remain
your obedient Servant
R Rankin
Indian Agent
Ruby

The Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Edmonton March 17 1920

This is to certify that I have attended Miss Josie Carrie from March 4th inst to date who was suffering from the effects of Influenza. She was unable to do any work during that time

J. D. Galleger M.D.

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M. J. MALONEY, M. D.
EGANVILLE, ONT.

Feby 29th 20

I certify that Miss Josephine Currier of Eganville has been under my care professionally since Feby 6th 20 to the present date suffering from Influenza

M J Maloney M D

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Ruby Station

April 6 1920

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

Enclosed herewith return of School material and Teachers Salary Pay list for Quarter Ending March 31st 1920. in favor of Josephene Courrier. also certificate from Doctor. re illness.

Your obedient Servant
P Rankenis
Indian Agent
Ruby

The Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended MARCH 31, 1920 19

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$600 00		
			$150 00	

No. of school days in quarter .....

No. days school was open .....

No. holidays .....

Grant asked for .....

Remarks :—

Certified Correct

M. J. B.

13 / 4 / 20.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct

Supt. or Agent.

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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Province of Ontario.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended June 30th 1920.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake Indian Day	$600 00	$150 00	Eganville. Ontario

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No. of school days in quarter 56
No. days school was open 53
No. holidays 3
Grant asked for

copy in James file

Remarks:—

I have noticed a change in the bonus given to Civil Servants. Besides having to pay my board in Golden Lake, I have two persons dependent upon me in Eganville. Would you kindly send me a blank form to be filled in regarding the bonus? I am over twenty-one years of age and my salary is Six hundred dollars.

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Ruby Ontario
July 3 1920

Sir,—

Enclosed herewith return of School material and Teachers salary for June Quarter. 1920

Your obedient servant
Patrick Pantkin
Indian agent
Ruby

The Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended JUNE 30, 1920. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$600 00	$150 00	

No. of school days in quarter

No. days school was open

No. holidays

Grant asked for

Remarks:—

Certified Correct

W. J. B.

9 / 7 / 20.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

Supt. or Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended Sept. 30th 1920.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currie	Golden Lake Indian Day School	$600 00	$150 00	Golden Lake Ontario.

No. of school days in quarter 21.
No. days school was open 21
No. holidays 0
Grant asked for $37.50

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
M. J. B.
11/10/20

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent

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For Quarter ended DECEMBER 31, 1920 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$750 00	$187 50	

No. of school days in quarter.....

No. days school was open.....

No. holidays.....

Grant asked for.....

Remarks :—

Salary of Miss Currier increased to $750.00 per an. from October 1, 1920.

Certified Correct

W. J. B.

29 / 12 / 20.

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

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Supt. or Agent.

Note—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated ; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended Mar. 31st. 1921

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake Indian Day	$ 750 00	$ 187.50	Eganville Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 58

No. days school was open 58

No. holidays 8 (6 of Jan.) (2 4/5 Mar. to 31st Mar.)

Grant asked for $187.50 Salary 37.50 bonus

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
J.D. J.B.
8-4-21

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended June 30th 1921.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary.	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake Indian Day	$ 750 00	$ 187 50	Eganville, Ontario.

No. of school days in quarter 60.
No. days school was open 60.
No. holidays. 3. — 24th May. 3rd June. August 1st.
Grant asked for. $37.50

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
M. J. B.
21-7-21

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

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Ruby Ontario

July 6th 1921

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M. D. 13

Sir,—

Enclosed herewith teachers
salary & return of material
for School for Quarter Ending
June 30th 1920

Your obedient servant
P Rantoul
Indian agent
Ruby

The Secretary
Dept of Indian affairs
Ottawa

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Eganville Ont.
July 25th, 1921.

Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

JUL 27 1921

Dear Sir:-

Nearly a month ago I sent in my report of the Golden Lake Indian Day school but so far I have not received my cheque for either my salary or bonus. Please let me know if you have sent it, if it may have gone astray.

And oblige,

Miss Josephine Currier
Eganville,
Ontario.

C/K933 Sent
to Teacher- Golden Lake, ONT
on July 27/21

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11-1-3

Ottawa. July 28, 1921

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th instant, regarding your salary and bonus cheques for the quarter ending June 30th.

In reply I beg to say that cheque NO. 933 for $187.50, being the amount of salary due as teacher of the Golden Lake Day School for the above period, was sent you at Golden Lake on the 23rd instant. You will, no doubt, receive it by making enquiries from the postmaster at that point. Also your bonus cheque for the same period was sent you by ck. No. 1758 for $45.00 on the 22nd instant addressed to Mr. Patrick Rankins. It is hoped that you have received it by this date.

I may add that the bonus for the present fiscal year is being paid at the rate of $15.00 per month for the ten teaching months and that is the rate at which you have been paid for the June quarter.

Your obedient servant

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Miss Josephine Currier
Eganville,
Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended Sept. 30th. 19 21.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake Indian Day	$750.00	$187.50	Golden Lake Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 21.
No. days school was open 21.
No. holidays 1 Labour Day 2 mths Summerholidays.
Grant asked for $15.00

Remarks :—

The bonus last year was paid at the rate of $12½ a month for 12 mths. This was changed on April 1st and it was paid at rate of $15. for 10 month. I find that I still have $17.50 coming to me from last years bonus plus the bonus for September which is $15.00.

I Hereby Certify that this Teacher is correct

CERTIFIED CORRECT
M.G.B.
17-10-21

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended Dec. 31st. 1921.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake Indian Day	$750.00	$187.50	Eganville Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 54
No. days school was open 54.
No. holidays 5
Grant asked for $45.00

CERTIFIED CORRECT

Remarks :—

31-12-21

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent

NOTE—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 30 1921
RECORDS

Ruby Ontario
Dec 26 1921

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.....
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

Enclosed herewith
Return of School Matrial and
Teachers salary for quarter
Ending Dec. 31/21

Your obedient Servant
P Ramsey
Indian agent
Ruby

The Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa
Ontario

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Department of Indian Affairs

TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended March 31, 1922.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier,	Golden Lake			
	Indian Day	$750.00		
			$187.50	
			Eganville, Ont.	

No. of school days in quarter.....

No. days school was open.....

No. holidays.....

Grant asked for.....

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT

[signature]

8-4-22.

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct.

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Supt. or Agent.

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JUL 14 1922
RECORDS

Province of Ontario.

Department of Indian Affairs

TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended June 30th, 1922.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currie	Golden Lake Indian Day	750 00	$187 50 ~~$ [illegible]~~	Eganville, Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 5-6

No. days school was open 5-5

No. holidays 10 days. Easter holidays Aug. 1st. Thursday 24th March

Grant asked for $187.50 $45.00 bonus 1 day's leave to attend funeral of my sister.

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
H.J.B.
17-7-22

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct

Patrick Rankenis
Supt. or Agent

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Eganville, Ont.
July 18th, 1922.

The Secretary,
Depart of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 21 1922
RECORDS

Dear Sir:-

So far I have not received either my salary or bonus cheque for the quarter which ended June 30th. for my work as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day school.

Would you kindly see if it has been sent

Penda 20/4/22

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perhaps it has
gone astray, if
not please send
it as soon as
possible.

And oblige,

Josephine Currier,

Eganville,

Ont.

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Ottawa. July 22, 1922.

Madam,-

In reply to your letter of the 18th instant, I beg to say that cheque No. 1164, for $187.50, in payment of the June quarter salary, was sent you on the 19th instant to Golden Lake Post Office, Ont.

Kindly request the postmaster at that point to forward this letter to you at your present address.

The method of payment of the bonus to to teachers of Indian day schools has not yet been decided and, until this is done the bonus due for the quarter ending June 30th, last, cannot be paid.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Eganville, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended Sept. 30th 1922

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake Indian Day	$ 750 00	$ 187 50	Golden Lake Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 20
No. days school was open 20
No. holidays 1
Grant asked for $ 187.50

Remarks :—

My bonus cheque which is due for Sept. quarter is to be paid with the cheque for quarter ending Dec. 31st.

CERTIFIED CORRECT
M. L. B.
4-10-22

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct

RECORDS OCT 6 1922 DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

R Rankin
Supt. or Agent

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1922. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE INDIAN DAY	$750 00	$187 50	~~Golden~~ Lake Ont.

Eganville Ont

REMARKS:—

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

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Department of Indian Affairs

TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended Mar. 31st. 1923.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake	$750 Sal.	$187.50	Eganville Ont.
~~Catherine Day~~	~~Bonus~~	~~$100~~	~~$25.00~~	~~Bonus~~

DEPT. OF MAR. 1923 RECORDS

No. of school days in quarter 62 days
No. days school was open 46 "
No. holidays Teacher was sick with flue 16 days.
Grant asked for $187.50 salary Bonus $45.00

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
M. J. B.
3-4-23

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent

NOTE—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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This is to certify that I attended Miss Josie Curren, from Feby 26th last, to date, for influenza. She was confined to bed for over two weeks, and partially since.

L. D. Pelletier M.D.

Edmonton March 14th 1923.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 31 1923
RECORDS

Kamloops Agency

March 30 1923

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
No.
ALSO
TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

Sir,—

Enclosed herewith
Return of School Material and
Teachers Salary for Quarter
Ending March 31st 1923.

Your obedient Servant
P Kinkens
Indian Agent
Kamloops

The Secretary
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended June 30th, 1923.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary.	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake Indian Day	$ 750. Salary	$ 187 50	Eganville Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 56

No. days school was open. 56

No. holidays. 4 Ascension Thursday 24th May. 3rd June Civic Day

Grant asked for Salary $187.50
Bonus $15.00

Remarks :—

CERTIFIED CORRECT
M. J. B.
10-7-23

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent.

NOTE.—The number of school days in the quarter and the number of days for which payment is asked should be stated; payment will only be made for days school was open and authorized holidays.

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1923
RECORDS

Office of the Golden Lake Indian Agency,

Ruby Jndy 4 19 23

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers

Nos....., amounting to $.....

in favour of Josephene Currier teacher

for services as Teacher of Indian day School

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No.....dated.....

Your obedient servant,

P Rankins

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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No.....

Office of the Golden Lake Indian Agency,

Rusby Oct 6 1923

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose herewith Vouchers Nos....., amounting to $ 10 25 50 in favour of Josephine Currier for services as teacher

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental Letter No.....dated.....

Your obedient servant,

P Ranbins

Indian Agent.

Rusby

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED SEPTEMBER 30. 1923. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$750 00	$75 00	Teacher, Golden Lake Ont.

REMARKS:—

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

M. J. B.

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Sept

Golden Lake Ont.
Oct. 15th. 1923.

The Secretary.
Dept. of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 17 1923
RECORDS

Dear Sir:-

Today I received my cheque No. 295-9 for the amount of Seventy-five dollars. This is in payment for the September quarter for teaching in the Golden Lake Indian Day school.

The amount I should have received was One hundred and eighty-seven 50/100 Dollars. My year in the first place started from Sept. 1st and I was to receive a salary of $750.xx per annum paid

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$187 50/100 quarterly at the rate of
every three months.
I have not received
all my salary for last
year, I am still minus
of $112 50/100. All the other
teachers around here are
receiving $1000 surely the
Government can afford
to pay $900 with bonus, at least pay
what is coming to the
teacher.
Kindly look into this
matter as soon as possible
And oblige.

"Miss," Josephine Currier,
Golden Lake
Ontario.
Teacher

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Ottawa, October 18, 1923.

ENCLOSURE.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th instant. with reference to the amount of salary sent you for the month of September.

In reply I beg to say that it has been decided to pay the salaries of day school teachers, in future, on the basis of ten teaching months in the school year. In this connection I enclose for your information copy of circular letter of the 17th ultimo, which was forwarded to all Indian agents and teachers.

Your salary is at the rate of $750.00 a year, plus bonus. The amount,therefore, due you for September was 1/10 of $750.00, or, $75.00. At the end of the other quarters in the school year, you will be paid $225.00, plus the bonus in each case.

The Department cannot understand the statement that there is a balance of salary due you for last year. On looking up the payments made to you it is found that you were paid as follows:-

September	quarter,	1922, ...	$187.50
December	"	1922	187.50
March	"	1923	187.50
June	"	1923	187.50
	Total		$750.00

You were also paid for the period September 1, 1922, to June 30, 1923, a bonus amounting to $150.00.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Golden Lake,
ONT.

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OCT 22 1923
RECORDS

Sels

Golden Lake Ont.
Oct. 19th, 1923.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter No. 11-1-3. dated Oct. 18th. was received to day. With regard to your statement as to payments made last year you don't seem to understand that the cheque for $187.50/100 paid for September quarter 1922 paid for two months July and August of last the year before that left out so that quarter only $62.50/100 for last year. I started to teach in the Golden Lake Indian Day School Sept 1st 1919.

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and at the end of the
September quarter of that
year only received the
salary due me for that
month. I was not paid
for July and Aug 1919 show-
-ing that the twelve
months ended with
~~Aug~~ Oct 31st 1920. Thus I was not
Iwas not receiving my
full pay for the whole
year.

Since you are paying
the salary at a different
rate this year, the cheques
I have just received pay for
Sept and I have still
to be paid for July and
August of last year,
sixty-two and a half
Dollars for each month

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making it One hundred and twenty-five Dollars still coming to me.

Hoping you will look into this affair as soon as possible.

I remain,

Yours truly,

"Miss" Josephine Cuvier,
Golden Lake,
Ontario.

Teacher.

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1919-20

[redacted] Golden Lake

Salary $600 yr 63.00

Sept 9 1919 = 15-0.

Dec 9 1919 = 15-0

Mar 9 1920 = 15-0

June 9 1920 = 15-0

Total $5-13.00

Salary = 60.00

Amd fwd = 5.13

Bal. due = $87

Miss Cunin began duties Sept 1. 19

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Department of Indian Affairs

TEACHERS' SALARIES

For SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1920. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$600 00		
	Amount paid	513 00		
	Balance due	$87 00		
	Teacher, Golden Lake, ONT.			

No. of school days in quarter .....

No. days school was open .....

No. holidays .....

Grant asked for .....

Remarks:—

Miss Currier began duties at this school September 1, 1919, at salary of $600.00 per annum. For the school year beginning September 1, 1919, and ending June 30, 1920, she was paid as follows:-

Sept.	qr.	1919	$63.00
Dec.	"	1919	150.00
March	"	1920	150.00
June	"	1920	150.00
		Forbid	$513

The above balance is, therefore, due to complete her salary for the school year mentioned above.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct.

23. 10. 23.

Supt. or Agent.

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Ottawa, October 23, 1923.

Madam,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant, with reference to your claim for balance of salary due you as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that on checking the payments made you it is found that you began duties at the Golden Lake school on September 1, 1919. The Department considers the school year to extend from September 1st to June 30th, and. for the school year 1919-20, the following payments were made you:-

September qr.	1919	$63.00
December "	1919	150.00
March "	1920	150.00
June "	1920	150.00

As your salary was at the rate of $600.00 a year, there is, therefore, a balance due for that school year of $87.00, a cheque for which amount is being forwarded under separate cover. For each school year sence you have been paid your full yearly salary in quarterly instalments.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier,
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Golden Lake,
Ont.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED DECEMBER 31st 1923 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake	$750.00	$225.00	

REMARKS :—

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

27.12.23.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED MARCH 31, 1924. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$750 00	$225 00	

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REMARKS :—

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

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Department of Indian Affairs

TEACHERS' SALARIES

For Quarter ended June 30th 1924.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	Annual Grant or Salary	Amount Due	Address to which Cheque is to be sent
Josephine Currier	Golden Lake	Sal. $750.00	$225 00	
	~~Indian Day Boys~~	~~$50.00~~	~~$45.00~~	~~Eganville~~ Ont.

No. of school days in quarter 57
No. days school was open 57
No. holidays 8
Grant asked for Sal. $225. Bonus $45.

Remarks :—

EXAMINED and found correct.
.....

7-7-24

I Hereby Certify that this Voucher is correct

Patrick Rankins
Supt. or Agent

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Ref. on 11-1-1.

Ottawa, July 16, 1924.

Sir:

I have to inform you that Miss Josie Currier, teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, has tendered her resignation which took effect from June 30th, last. We are appointing as her successor Miss Aileen Costello, Eganville, who holds a Permanent Second Class Certificate and has had 4 years' experience in white schools. She will begin duties when the school re-opens on September 2nd, next. The salary allowed Miss Costello will be at the rate of $750 per annum, supplemented by the bonus provided by law. Please give her every assistance you can in her work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Patrick Rankine, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean,
Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

Patrick Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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Ruby. Ontario
October 13. 1924.

The Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Canada.

Dear Sir,-

Enclosed please find return of school material and teachers pay list for the month ending September 30. 1924.

Patrick Rankins
Indian agent.
Ruby

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1924. 192.....

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$750 00	$75 00	

REMARKS :—

Miss Costello appointed Sept. 2, 1924, at salary of $750.00 per an.

EXAMINED and found correct.

.....

15, 10, 24.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1924. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costelle	GOLDEN LAKE	$750 00	$225 00	

REMARKS:—

EXAMINED and found correct.

15, 1, 25.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED MARCH 31, 1925. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$750 00	$225 00	

REMARKS:—

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9, 4, 25.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED JUNE 30, 1925. 192

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	Teacher, Eganville, ONT.

REMARKS:—

As the bonus has been discontinued salary has been increased from April 1st by $150.00 for ten teaching months.

EXAMINED and found correct.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30, 192 5

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE					
		$900	00			
				$90	00	
	Teacher, Eganville, Ont.					

REMARKS:—

EXAMINED and found correct.

19, 10, 25.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st 1925

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900. 00	$270. 00	Teacher, Eganville, Ont.

REMARKS:—

EXAMINED and found correct.

7-1-26

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1926

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	[redacted]	
			Part Payment 100 00	

TEACHER, [redacted]
Golden Lake
Ont

REMARKS: —

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 10 1926
RECORDS

Secretary

Dept of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, Canada.

Golden Lake, Ont.

May. 8. 1926.

Dear Sir,-

Am sorry to trouble you but I have not yet received my cheque for the Jan. Feb. Mar. quarter.

I know my report was rather late as it did not go in until April 15. The delay was caused by my having to wait for the forms necessary for the report.

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Mr. Rankin had to send
for them to your Dept. and
then send them to me.

It would oblige me very
much if you would send
it right away, as I have
some financial matters
that must be settled this
coming week, including
Insurance.

I'm sure the cheque is
all ready, just overlooked,
as you have always been
very prompt in the past.

Thanking you.

Yours truly

Ailien Costello.

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Ottawa, May 10th, 1926.

Madam,-

In reply to your letter of the 8th instant, I beg to say that the delay in forwarding your March quarter salary, is due to the fact that our total appropriation has not yet been passed by Parliament.

We are today forwarding you a cheque for $100.00, being part payment of your salary, and the balance will be forwarded about the end of the present week.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Ailien Costello,
Teacher,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1926

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00		
	Earnings -		$270 00	
	Part Payment -		$100 00	
	Bal. due -		$170 00	

REMARKS: --

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FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1926

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	

REMARKS: --

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FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th 192 6

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900	00	$90	00	

REMARKS: —

EXAMINED and found correct.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1926.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	

REMARKS: --

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NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	

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FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th. 1927.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	

REMARKS: --

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FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th, 1927.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$90 00	

REMARKS: --

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FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1927.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	

REMARKS:—

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FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1928.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900	00	$270	00	

REMARKS:—

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 192 8.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Aileen Costello	GOLDEN LAKE	$900	00			
				$270	00	
	Eganville, Ont.					

REMARKS:—

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C O P Y.

11-1-3

Original on 11-1-1

Ottawa, June 15th, 1928.

Sir,-

The Department is in receipt of a letter from Miss Aileen L. Costello, resigning as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School as from the end of the present quarter. Her resignation is being accepted.

An application for appointment as teacher at this school has been received from Miss Josephine Currier, who formerly taught there. I am today writing Miss Currier informing her of her appointment to begin duties on or about September 1st next at a salary of $900. for the academic year. Please give Miss Currier every possible assistance in her work at this school.

Your obedient servant,

A. F. MacKenzie.

A. F. MacKenzie.
Acting Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

P. Rankins, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Ruby, Ont.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th, 1928.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$90 00	

REMARKS:—

Miss Josephine Currier appointed teacher with salary at the rate of $90 per teaching month. Began duties September 1st, 1928.

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EXAMINED and found correct.

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 1 1929
RECORDS

Eganville Ont.,
Dec. 29th. 1928.

The Secretary,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa. Ont.

Sir,

A week ago last Friday I sent my quarterly report for the Golden Lake Indian Day School to the Indian Agent Mr. Rankin, but so far I have not received my cheque for my salary.

Would you kindly send it as soon as possible as I need the money.

And oblige,
Josephine Currie (Teacher)
Eganville,
Ont.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1928.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900	00			
				$270	00	

REMARKS:—

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 5 1929
RECORDS

Egansville Ont.
Jan. 3rd. 1929.

The Secretary.
Canadian Branch.
Dept. of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir;-

About two week ago I sent my Quarterly Report of the Golden Lake Indian Day School to the Indian Agent Mr. Rankin, but so far I have not received the cheque for my salary, would you kindly send it to me as soon as possible.

Thanking you for past favors I remain,

Yours sincerely.

Josephine Currier
Teacher.
Egansville,
Ont.

Cheque # 5864
Sent Jan. 3/29
to Golden Lake Ont.

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11-1-3

Ottawa, January 5th, 1929.

Madam,-

Replying to your letter of the 3rd instant, I have to inform you that a cheque in payment of your December quarter salary as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School was sent, addressed to you at Golden Lake, Ont., on the 3rd instant. This was cheque #5864 for $270.00. This cheque was sent to Golden Lake as it was presumed that you would have returned to reopen the school by the time the cheque arrived.

I might add that your December quarter return has not yet been received from Mr. Agent Rankins.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Eganville,
Ontario.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1929.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900	00			
				$270	00	

Eganville, Ont.

REMARKS:—

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11-1-3

Ottawa, May 15th, 1929.

Madam,-

I beg to refer you to official letter of January 5th, last, in which you were informed that the Department had not received the return of the Golden Lake Indian Day School for the quarter ended December 31st, last. In this regard, I may say that this return has not yet reached the Department and I should appreciate if you would prepare a return for that quarter and forward it at once as it is required for our records.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

J.D.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Teacher,
Indian Day School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Golden Lake. Ont.
May 16th. 1929.

The Secretary,
Dept of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa. Ont.

Sir;-

Your letter of May 15th. No. 11-1-3. was received today.

I am very sorry you did not receive the return for quarter ended Dec 31st 1928 for Golden Lake Indian Day School. I had sent it in, around Dec 22nd, to Mr. Rankin, Agent. Ruby, Ont, and he told me in January he had mislaid it, and thought he had sent it, but found it among his papers. Of course, I thought he would send it then! but he must'nt have.

I have made out another report and am mailing it to Mr. Rankin today.

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[redacted] trusting that this will be satisfactory.

I remain,
Yours respectfully.

Josephine Currier,
Teacher Indian Day School,
Golden Lake,
Ontario.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 19 29.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	Eganville, Ont.

REMARKS:—

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FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th, 1929.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$90 00	

REMARKS:—

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FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1929.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	

REMARKS:—

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EXAMINED and found correct.

17/12/29.

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11-1-3

Ottawa, December 17th, 1929.

Madam,-

Under separate cover, the Department is forwarding your December quarter salary cheque. When you close the school for the Christmas holidays on the 20th instant, you should prepare and forward your return to Mr. Agent Rankins, in order that he may send it to the Department.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Teacher,
Indian Day School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1930

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900. 00	$270. 00	

REMARKS:—

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FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 19 30.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900	00	$270	00	Eganville, Ont.

REMARKS:—

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PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th. 1930.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$90 00	

REMARKS:—

EXAMINED and found correct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

10/10/30.

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Golden Lake Ont.
Nov. 8th. 1930.

Dept of Indian Affairs
(Indian School)
In account with
Josephine Currier.
(Teacher Indian Day School
during sick leave of paid Marcella O'Brien.

To 18 days Teaching @ 4.00 = 72.00
(Sept 29th to Oct 24th/30) a day

#72 xx/109

Golden Lake, Ont.
Nov. 8th. 1930.

Received from Josephine Currier
the sum of Seventy-two Dollars
in payment of eighteen days
teaching in Indian School
from Sept. 29th to Oct 24th. 1930.
during her period of sick leave.

Marcella O'Brien
Eganville, Ont.

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Golden Lake Ont.,
Nov. 8th. 1930.

Dept. of Indian Affairs.
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Eganville Ont.

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Department of Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

Edmonville Nov 8th 1930.

Dear Sirs.

Miss Josephine Cerrier consulted me about four weeks ago. to have a filling replaced. At time she consulted me. I noticed her in a very nervous condition. I drew her attention to the fact that she had absorption in her system due to pyorhea condition surrounding many of her teeth. She then told me she was under medical treatment & was unable to open up her school when school reopened. I advised her to consult Dr Copland & see if he would verify my statement. He found her condition required immediate attention which she consented too. & hence is making a splendid recovery.. No doubt her absence from teaching was unavoidable under her condition at that time.

Yours very truly
J. A. Lamberton D.D.S.

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Edmonton November 8/20

This is to certify that I attended Miss J. Currie, teacher of Lakeview Roche from Sept. 29th/20 to Oct. 24th for a bad form of poisoning, caused from infected teeth, and that during that time she was unable to teach.

J. D. Gallagher M.D.

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Golden Lake, Ont,
Nov. 8th. 1930.

The Secretary.
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear [redacted] Sir;-

I am enclosing certificates, one from my medical doctor, Dr. Galligan, the other from my dentist, Dr. Lambertus, showing I was unable to teach in Indian School from Sept. 29th to Oct. 24th on account of illness.

During the above period I put a teacher in the school, Marcella O'Brien, and paid her Four dollars a day for the eighteen days, out of my own salary.

I do have a very large attendance

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fifty-one on the roll,
and have seven in
the fourth class, I felt
it would not be fair
to have school closed
during that period.
I am encloding bill
for seventy-two
dollars which I paid
out myself.
Trusting this will
be satisfactory, and
thanking you for
past favours.
I remain.
Yours respectfully,
Josephine Currier.
Golden Lake,
Ontario.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR ~~QUARTER-ENDED~~ Period September 29 to October 24, 1930. 19.....

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Marcella O'Brien	GOLDEN LAKE			
	18 days @ $4.00 per day	- -	$72 00	
	Make cheque payable to Miss Marcella O'Brien and send to Miss Josephine Currier, Golden Lake, Ont.			

REMARKS:—

Owing to the absence, through illness, of the regular teacher, Miss Josephine Currier, from September 29th to October 24th, it was necessary to engage the services of a substitute teacher for 18 teaching days, at a salary of $4.00 a day.

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EXAMINED and found correct.

12/11/30.

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Ottawa, November 12th, 1930.

Madam,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th instant, enclosing medical certificates with reference to your absence from your duties as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School from September 29th to October 24th. It is noted that you engaged the services of a substitute teacher at a cost of $4.00 a day for eighteen days. A cheque for $72.00 will be issued in favour of Miss Marcella O'Brien and forwarded to you. You can arrange to have Miss O'Brien indorse the cheque and return it to you.

Your letter was the first intimation the Department had received regarding your illness. It is the usual practice to notify the Department immediately when a teacher is obliged to give up her duties for any length of time. Authority should also be requested from the Department before engaging the services of a substitute teacher.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Teacher,
Indian Day School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1930.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900	00			
				$270	00	

REMARKS:—

EXAMINED and found correct.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1931.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY		AMOUNT DUE		ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900	00	$270	00	

REMARKS:—

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FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1931.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	Egganville, Ont.

REMARKS: --

EXAMINED and found correct

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th, 19 31.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$90 00	Golden Lake, Ont.

REMARKS: --

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EXAMINED and found correct.

7/10/31.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1931.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	
	Eganville, Ont.			

REMARKS:—

EXAMINED and found correct.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 19 32.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	

REMARKS: --

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19/3/32.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1932.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier, Eganville, Ont.	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00		
			$270 00	
	Less 10%		27 00	
	Amount due		$243 00	

O/L 1997

REMARKS: --

11/260.

I certify that the services specified in this account have been satisfactorily performed, that they were necessary in the interest of the public, and that the charges made are in accordance with contract or agreement authorized by ..... or, if not by contract, the charges are fair and just. No item in this account has been previously certified by me for payment.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

12/7/32.

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Egansville, Ont.
July 19th, 1932.

The Secretary.
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa, Ont.

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 20 1932
RECORDS

Sir:-

At the close of the June Quarter, almost three week ago, I gave my report of the Golden Lake Indian Day School to the Indian Agent Mr. Joseph Farrell, but so far I have not received my cheque

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#243.
Sent July 15/32.
to Egansville, Ont.

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in payment of services as teacher during that quarter.

Would you please send me my cheque as I need the money

Thanking you for past favours.

Yours sincerely,

Josephine Currier.

Eganville,

Ont.

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Ottawa, July 22nd, 1932.

Madam,-

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th instant, with reference to your salary cheque for the quarter ended June 30th, last, as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School.

In reply I beg to say that a cheque for $243.00, being the amount due for the June quarter, was forwarded from this office on the 15th instant, addressed to you at Eganville, Ont. It is hoped that this cheque has reached you by this time.

Your obedient servant,

Russell T. Ferrier.

Russell T. Ferrier.
Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Eganville,
Ont.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th. 19 32.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier, Golden Lake, Ont.	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00		
			$90 00	
	Less 10%		9 00	
	Amount due		$81 00	

Vote 201.
Agency 11/260.

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE

Voucher in duplicate detached
for Accountant to pay.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED December 31st, 1932.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$270 00	
		Less 10%	27 00	
		Amount due	$243 00	

Send cheque to J.M. Farrell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

Vote 201.
Agency 11/260.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st, 1933.

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Josephine Currier, Golden Lake, Ont.	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00		
			$270 00	
	Less 10%		27 00	
	Amount due		$243 00	

Vote 201.
Agency 11/260.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED June 30th, 1933.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00		
			$270 00	
	Less 10%		27 00	
	Amount due		$243 00	

Send cheque to J. M.Farrell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

Vote 188.
School 394.
Allot. 260.
E. R. 213.

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OFFICE OF
INDIAN AGENT

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
OCT 17 1933
RECORDS

Golden Lake Ont, Oct.16/33

Secretary, Dept. of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

Dear Sir;-

With reference to School report for last Quarter Kindly send Miss Currier her cheque for services rendered, as soon as possible.

Your Obedient Servant.

J M Farrell
Indian Agent.

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TEACHERS' SALARIES

FOR QUARTER ENDED September 30th, 19 33.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier, Golden Lake, Ont.	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00	$90 00	
			Less 10% 9 00	
			Amount due $81 00	

REMARKS: --

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Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.

M. O'N

Vote 188.
School 394.
Allot. 260.
E. R. 778.

Cheque 5353. for $81 00
Mailed Oct 3/33.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS VOUCHER IS CORRECT.

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OCT 24 1933

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Golden Lake, Ont.,
Oct. 23rd. 1933.

The Secretary,
Depart. of Indian Affairs.
Ottawa, Ont.

Sir;-

Would you please send me my September Cheque as teacher of Indian School.

My report was sent to the agent Mr. Farrell around the beginning of October, and he said he forwarded it to you immediately.

Hoping to receive it as soon as possible, as I need it, and thanking you for past favours.

Yours sincerely,
Josephine Cloutier.
Teacher of Indian School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Ottawa, November 1st, 1933.

Madam,-

With reference to your letter of the 23rd ultimo, I beg to say that cheque No. 5353, for $81.00, covering your September quarter salary as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School, was forwarded to you at Golden Lake, Ont., on the 31st ultimo.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. Sutherland.

J. D. Sutherland.
Acting Supt. of Indian Education.

Miss Josephine Currier,
Teacher,
Indian Day School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00		
			$270 00	
	Less 10%		27 00	
	Amount due		$243 00	

Send cheque to J. M. Farrell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

REMARKS: --

Vote 138.
School 394.
Allot. 260.
E. R. 1131.

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J. M. M.

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FOR QUARTER ENDED March 31st. 1934.

NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF SCHOOL	ANNUAL GRANT OR SALARY	AMOUNT DUE	ADDRESS TO WHICH CHEQUE IS TO BE SENT
Josephine Currier	GOLDEN LAKE	$900 00		
			$270 00	
	Less 10%		27 00	
	Amount due		$243 00	

Send cheque to J. M. Farrell, Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Golden Lake, Ont.

Vote 188.
School 394.
Allot. 260.
E. R. 1131.

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M.O'M.

9/3/34.

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Eganville, Ont.,
Mar. 17th. 1934.

The Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

In account with Ernestine H. Drohan.

To 9 days teaching in Golden Lake Indian School @ 3.50	=	$31.50
By Cash - From Josephine Currier Mar. 17th - in full.	=	$31.50

Eganville Ont.
Mar. 17th. 1934.

$31.50.

Received from Josephine Currier the sum of Thirty-one - 50/100 Dollars payment in full for nine days' teaching at Golden Lake Indian Day School Mar. 6th to Mar. 16th inclusive during the illness of teacher, Josephine Currier.

Ernestine H. Drohan

Signed By - Josephine Currier.
Teacher Indian Day School,
Golden Lake, Ont.

Date:- Mar 28th. 1934.

Signed By - J. McDowell
Indian Agent.

Date - Mar. 30th 1934

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Vote No. .....

Treaty No. .....

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

To Josephine Currier

Eganville Ont.

DATE	SERVICE	AMOUNT
Mar 30/34	To substitute teacher for two weeks as per accounts attached.	$31.50

Vote..... 176

School Number..... 394

Allot..... 260

E. R. No..... 2035

TRIPLICATE FOR FILE

26-5-34

Voucher in duplicate detached for Accountant to pay.

TOTAL, $31.50

I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

J M Currier

Agent

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SCHOOLS BRANCH
APR 4 1934

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 3 1934
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Letter No.....

Office of the Golden Lake *Indian Agency,*

Mar 30 1934 *19*.....

Sir,

I enclose herewith Vouchers Nos......,

amounting to $.....31.50.....*in favour*

of...Josephine Currier, Eganville Ont.....

for teacher who relieved Miss Currier while sick.

This expenditure was authorized by Departmental

Letter No..... *dated*.....

Your obedient servant,

John Farrell

Indian Agent.

The Secretary,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa.

Form No. 101

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Ottawa, September 25, 1945.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY.

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School, No. 394.

During the month of September we found it necessary to employ two teachers at this school, namely:-

Miss Margaret MacNulty, who has been in charge of the school for some years, is to be paid salary to October 1, 1945 - see memorandum of August 4, 1945; and

Miss Mamie Legris was appointed second teacher for the month of September, effective September 1, 1945, at a salary of $100.00 a teaching month. She will continue teaching during the current academic year. I enclose copy of letter of appointment, also T.D.1 form and cost-of-living bonus form. Staff questionnaire will reach you shortly.

For Deputy Minister.

Encl.

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Ottawa, August 30th, 1945.

Mr. H.P. Ruddy, Indian Agent, Golden Lake, Ontario.

I have your letter of the 29th instant, in which you stated that you have obtained the services of Miss Mamie Legris as teacher of the Golden Lake Indian Day School. Salary will be allowed her at the rate of $100.00 a teaching month plus bonus effective September 1st, 1945. I enclose the necessary forms which you should have her complete and return as soon as possible.

for Deputy Minister.

Encl:

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Ottawa, August 4th, 1945.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School
No. 324

Please note that Miss Margaret MacNulty, teacher of the above mentioned school will give up duties October 1st, 1945. Consequently, she should be paid salary for the month of September and her name removed from the pay-list at the end of that month.

for Deputy Minister.

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11-1-1 (W.T. 1)

Ottawa, 12 September 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

RE: Golden Lake Indian Day School - No. 394

Owing to increased attendance it was found necessary to appoint a second teacher at this school. Miss Marie Elizabeth Sullivan has been appointed at a salary of $125.00 a teaching month effective September 1st, 1946. We have not yet received her T.D. 1 Form but I understand that she is single without dependents. The Staff Questionnaire will reach you shortly.

for Deputy Minister.

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11-1-1 (W.T. 1)

Ottawa, 4 October 1946.

Memorandum:

REPRESENTATIVE OF THE TREASURY

Re: Golden Lake Indian Day School
No. 394

It has been decided to increase the salary of Miss Mamie Legris to $137.00 a teaching month effective Sept. 1, 1946.

for Deputy Minister.

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FILE NO. 394-3

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DEPARTMENT OF MINES AND RESOURCES

INDIAN AFFAIRS BRANCH

GOLDEN LAKE DAY SCHOOL SALARIES

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"Answer required"

Draft.

OTTAWA, 20th December 1892.

ACCOUNTANT
DEC 22 1892

Sir,

I have to request that you will report on the following remarks made by Mr Public School Inspector Scott, in his Report on the Indian School on the Golden Lake Reserve made on the 6th Sept. last:-

"The pupil in the 2nd class could write with pen and ink "but had no copy for some time. The parents are slow in gettin "Books and other School requisites for the children. It would "seem better if an arrangement could be made to furnish the "pupils with these things and have them charged to the parents

"A new school house is needed. The present one is cold and "uncomfortable and is so decayed that I doubt if it would "stand repairing".

Inventory of the Property

House- State of Repair.

" Old and decaying, bottom round of sxx-logs badly de- "cayed, floor single and cold because of the sleepers sinking".

Desks and Seats

"10 wooden sxxdesks and 10 benches without backs, I "desk and 1 bench broken."

Blackboard.

"A poor article."

Edmund Bennet, Esq:

Indian Agent
Castile P.O., Ont:

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I have also to request that you will make requisition for any school material which may be necessary for this school.

Your obedient servant

for the Deputy of the Sup:Gen:

of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 21 1892

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Golden Lake December 30th 1892

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 130. 221. dated 20th inst. in reply to yours of December 20 inst No. 130. 221. asking for a report on the remarks made by Inspector Scott, regarding the School on the Golden Lake Reserve

1. the Parents of some of the Children will not get them books they think that the Government should provide them as they asked me for to get them for the Scholars, the Teacher buys some books for them for the poor ones

2. A new School House is needed as the present one would not stand repairing the Foundation is Completely rotten it is a miserable building Cold the Teacher Miss Minnie Lemieux taught paper at her own expence to try and keep it warm the whole outfit is a poor affair it is about the meanest and worst School House in the County

Mr Scotts report is Correct, the new Black Board did not come to the School House yet. as I asked the Indians who had teams for some one of them to fetch it they told me lately they could not bring it so I will have to go for it next week, 16 miles to Eganville and have it there when School opens

For the Deputy for Supt. General of Indian Affairs Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant
E Bennett
Indian Agt

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Captain Stewart
Golden Lake

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Extract from school Inspec
R.G. Scotts Report dated Pembroke
10th Dec. 1892

Original on file 130221

Dear Sir:-

I beg respectively to submit the following report on the Indian school on the Golden Lake Reserve in the County of Renfrew for the latter half of the year 1892

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A new school house is needed. The present one is cold and uncomfortable and is so decayed that I doubt if it would stand repairing.

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(Sd) R.G. Scott,

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MEMORANDUM

To Deputy Minister

Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, 11th January 1893

Corres. re Agt Bennett's letter re Blackbird's school building

With ref to Agt Cot's letter of 28th ult relative to the school material at the Saddle Lake Agency and the dilapidated condition of the School building I beg to report that Insp. Scott in his inspection report of the 10th ult states that a new School house is needed that the present one is cold & uncomfortable and is so decayed that he doubts if it would stand repairing. Mr Bennett confirms the Insp.'s report & says that the building is about the meanest and most ~~in the Country~~ for a School house. The Blackbird was reported by Mr Scott to be a poor article, but although Mr Bennett was not instructed to purchase a new one he has evidently done so judging from the closing remarks of his letter. As regards the School material needed Agt Bennett was requested, on 20th ult, to make up for what was required, but he has not yet done so. The

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MEMORANDUM.

To.....

Department of Indian Affairs,

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Ottawa,.....189...

School house is a log building 18 + 24 ft with 8 foot ceiling and from what School Insp. Scott & Agent Bennett state is beyond repairing. There are 27 children of School age on the Res. & according to the last Return (Dec 31 92) there were 13 pupils on the roll with an average attendance of 8.78. A new building if erected should not in my opinion be any smaller than the present one

John McLeri

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Draft.

Encd.

"Answer required"

OTTAWA, 13th January 1893

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th Ult. to. respecting the Indian School on the Golden Lake Reserve, and with regard to your recommendation that a new school-house should be provided, I have to request that you will furnish the Department with an estimate of the cost of erecting a new school building of 18 x 24 feet, of logs, with an 8 ft. ceiling. You should state whether the Indians could not get out and flatten the logs, and whether some of the logs of the present building could not be utilised in the new one.

Your obedient servant

for the Deputy of the Sup.Gen.
of Indian Affairs.

Edmund Bennet Esq.
Indian Agent
Castile P.O.
Ont.

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South Algoma January 31st 1893

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 4 1893

Sir

In reply to yours of January 13th ult No 180 221 asking an estimate of the Cost of erecting a new school House, and if the Indians Could get out sidid Pine, as if some of the logs in the old School Hous Could be used in the new one. I was at the reserve on the 23d inst and made enquiries from the Indians if they Could get the logs as if there was any on the Reserve they said there is no Pine fit for to make logs for the School on the Reserve but they would take out sawlogs from Fallen or Decayed Timber and Erect a Balloon Frame, and Shingle timber that is Cedar as the remains of old Pine there is a Sawmill & Shingle mill on the other side of the River opposite the Reserve I made enquiries how much he would charge for the required Amount of Lumber and shingles that is for Sawing the same about Twenty five dollars there is nothing in the old School House that would be any use in the new one, the windows 12 lights 7/x. by 8/xs. in each. the Ceiling might be of use, but for the rest it is utterly useless the old House by propping it up might be converted into a Wood shed which is required

I am Sir
Your Obedient Servant
J Bennett
Indian Agent.

For the Deputy of Supt. Genl
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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MEMORANDUM.

To The Deputy Minister

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, February 8th 1893

Re, School House Soldau Lake Reserve

I have the honor to report that I visited the above Reserve on the 2nd inst. for the purpose of inspecting the site for a School House to be erected thereon during the present year, and I respectfully recommend that a plan & specification for a School House be made in this Branch 20×24 feet, and as the Indians can get out Logs & have cut for boards & dimension timber & shingles - that a bill of this stuff be sent & shew what would be required for the building as there appears to be no timber of value in the old building that can be utilized for the new one. The Agents proposal is to make the old building do for a wood shed by propping it up which I suggest might be done.

W. L. Austin

ACCOUNTANTS FEB 13 1893

Bill of Plan 13.2.93

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MEMORANDUM. Immediate

To the Chief Clerk

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa 3rd February 1899

Re School house Golden Lake Reserve

I have to forward a Bill of quantities, that should be ~~forwarded~~ sent to Mr. Agent Bennet who is having timber got out for the purpose of Building a new school house at Golden Lake Res. the Plans & Specifications of Building will be forwarded as soon as Completed.

A

Size of Building	24ft x 20ft ✓		
Sills	3 of 6" x 6"	24 feet long	
	2 " 6" x 6"	20 " "	
Posts	22	1ft diam. Cedar or Tamarac	4ft 6in long
Joists	13	2" x 10"	20ft long
Studs	85	2" x 4"	10ft long
Rafters	28	2 x 6	16 " "
Collar Beams	14	2 x 6	16 " "
Flooring	900 ft. B.M. Tongued & Grooved Narrow widths 1½ inches thick		
	900 ft. B.M. Inch common stuff for Roofing		
	1200 ft. B.M. Inch stuff outside sheeting		
	1200 ft. Clap Boards		
	2000 ft V Jointed sheeting inside lining		
	10,000 Shingles Cedar or Pine		

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Respectfully Submitted

W. A. Austin

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Immediate

E. Bennett. Esq.
Indian Agent.
Carlisle P.O.
Ont.

Feby 14th 1893

Sir,

I have
to ack. the rect. of your
letter of the 31st Ulto
in the matter of the
proposed erection of a
new School house on
the Golden Lake Reserve,
and stating that the
Indians can get out
saw logs and shingle
timber which you suggest
could be manufactured
at a saw mill near the
Reserve; & enclose
herewith a bill of
quantities of the timber
&c, which will be required
for

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for the building for which the Indians should be
I have also instructed to set out as soon as possible
to inform you that
the Plan & specifications
will be forwarded as
soon as they are
completed.

Yours &c.

Cor: Br:
~~H.B.~~ Bill of quantities
to be copied from memo
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 6 1893

South Algoma March 3 1893

Sir

I visited the Golden Lake reserve on Feb 28th And set the Indians to work to get out the logs to make lumber for the new School House, I think I will be able to get out what logs that will be required for the said School House

Your obedient Servant
E Bennett
Indian Agent

3/13/93

W. D. Scott 1 Pr
Ans Sec 1 Pr

Supt Genl Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Deputy Minister
I beg to report that Parliament has
to vote $200.00 towards
the erection of a School house on
this Reserve the Indians have
the necessary logs & will
now be ready to haul them on
the ice if Mr Bennett can
inform me that Sellers that he
will not require the same
Yours &c
E Bennett
Indian Agent
Golden Lake
3/13/93

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MEMORANDUM Immediate

To The Deputy Minister

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, 10 — 4 — 1893

Shg to forward Plans & Specifications of School House for Golden Lake 2nd Res

W. A. Austin

CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH APR 11 1893

Dr. McNeill

Please forward Plans & specifications of Golden Lake School House B.C. to Agent.

Original of Record in Survey Branch

D.M.

Deputy Minister

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OTTAWA, 11th April, 1893.

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 3rd Ulto and previous correspondence on the subject, I ~~enclose~~ enclose herewith Plans and specifications of the School house proposed to be erected on the Golden Lake Reserve.

A.M. 9/93

Your obedient servant

for the Deputy of the Sup:Gen:
of Indian Affairs.

E.Bennet, Esq:
Indian Agent
Castillo P.O.
Ont:

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
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Lac Seul Ont April 20th 1893

Sir

I Received the Plan of School House to be erected on the Golden Lake Reserve dated April 11th No. 1337847. and I want to know, if Lenders for the building of said School House will be asked for, and the Material that is Nails Glass Brick &c If I am to purchase them, or will the Department send them, Mr. Scott School Inspector wants a stone Foundation for the Indian School House he says it will be very Cold on Posts. And that the stone Foundation would be much warmer

Your Obedient Servant
E. Bennett
Indian Agent

For The Deputy of the Supt. Gen
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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CORRESPONDENCE
MAY 2 1893
BRANCH

Memorandum

2nd May 1893

Deputy Minister

I respectfully recommend that Agent Bennett be informed in answer to his letter of 20th ult. that after the 1st July $200 will be available for the construction of the school-house.

It is feared this sum will not be sufficient to admit the construction of a stone foundation under the building. The band has a small capital account of $228.25 which may be drawn on for the construction of the building, provided the council of the band pass a resolution to that effect.

It is proposed to construct the building by days labour under the superintendence of a foreman, who may engage one or more men as he may require. Mr. Bennett will be good enough to inform the Dept. whether any experienced man can be engaged to construct the building — an Indian is preferred if there is one on the Reserve who may be relied on to do a good job. What rate of pay should

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May 4

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the foreman reserve.
As the lumber is all
on the ground it is supposed
that the $200 voted will be
sufficient to pay all ~~other~~
costs of construction. Mr.
Bennett will please state
what in his opinion will be
the cost of the building if
built on cedar posts, and
what its cost would be if
built on a stone foundation?

Sam'l Bray

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"Answer required"

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OTTAWA, 4th May, 1893.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th Ulto in further reference to the proposed erection of a School House on the Golden Lake Reserve; and in reply I beg to inform you that it is feared that the sum of $200, which is all that will be available after the 1st of July next for the construction of the School House will not be sufficient to bear the extra expense of putting a stone foundation under the building. The Band has however a small capital account of $228:28 which may be drawn on for the construction of the building, provided a Resloution requesting that the same may be done is passed by the Council of the Band.

A.H. Smith
Notice
25-5-93

It is proposed to construct the building by day labor under the superintendence of a foreman, who may if he so desires engage one or more men to assist him; and I have to request that you will be good enough to advise the Department whether an experienced man can be secured in the neighborhood to act as foreman, an Indian being preferred if there is one on the Reserve

E. Bennet, Esq.
Indian Agent
Castile, P.O:

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the Reserve who can be relied on to do a good job,- and the rate of pay, which in your opinion he should receive You should also state what, inyour opinion, the cost of the building will be if built on cedar posts, and what it would cost if built on a stone foundation.

As the lumber is all on the ground, it is supposed that the $200 voted will be sufficient to pay all cost of construction, le s a stone foundation.

Your obedient servant,

for the Deputy of the Sup:Gen:
of Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 22 1893

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South Algoma July 19th 1893

Sir

I enclose the names of the Indians of the Goldendale Reserve who are willing to draw on their money which is placed to their Credit for to help to build the School House on the Reserves, but if it would answer for to only put up the Frame and shingle it and board in with rough lumber this fall*. I think their money will not be required as they seem to be anxious and willing to do all they Can to help to build it they are taking a Great interest in getting the building erected, I can get them to draw the stone for Foundation and dig for the same as soon as the harvest is secured, they promise for sure and I think they will keep their promise this time for to get out logs next winter for to pay for sawing the lumber and finish the Frames, And I will see that it is Carried out, the only draw back is the small salary I am getting, as it will not allow me to devote as much of my time as I would wish

Your obedient servant
F Bennett
Indian Agent

The Deputy for Supt Genl
Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Forwd

File with papers in 1894

Report on contract of Pipestone Creek School

* School building completed 30 June 94

1. Petition, undated, re Indians willing to draw on their credit for building school
2. Petition, undated, re Indians willing to draw on their credit for building school

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the Indian Mishell Francis whom
I recommended to build the shool House
never learnt the trade of Carpenter, he
is only a handy man. I dont think
he would be able to build the School House
according to plan, the rest of the Indians think
the same, they are very anxious that it
should be built according to plan. I think
it would be better to hire a competent man
and let the Indian work with him, it is
a pity if the job is not well done. but if
I get authority from the Dept. I will see
that it is done according to plan

E Bennett
Indian Agent

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 10 1893

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Reserve Leech Lake June 8th 1893

Secretary
Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Sir

In reply to yours of May 4th No. 18584
I was at the Reserve June 7th and asked
some of the Indians such as was at Home
if they would draw on the 228.28 in case
the $200 would not be enough to finish the
School House they would like to know if
it would be paid back by the Department
if they did use some of it, there is one of
the Indians a Carpenter I showed him the plan
he says he Can build the House according to
said plan, but I doubt it, the wages he wants
per day is one dollar & fifty ¢ and board
himself., I was enquiring at the saw mill if all
the Lumber was Cut for said School House, and I was
told that only the Scantling Sills and rough lumber
was Cut, there is no shingles Cut., no clapboards
no finishing lumber, I dont think it Can be got
on the Reserve, as there is no green Pine-
only Dead and Dry pine. I want to know
if the Department will pay for Cutting what
lumber is Cut as the Mill owner seems to
hold me responsable for what is cut, the differenel
between the Stone foundation and Blocks would
be about $15.00 there is no use in
depending on some of the Indians to for any work
Some are good, and willing to do their share
and more of them will do nothing, they promised me
faithfully they would get out all the logs for the
Lumber

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 10 1893

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Let me know if I will go a head or
buy to with the School House

I am Sir
Your Obdt. Servt
E Bennett
Indian Agent
Castle D P O
Ont

For the Deputy for Supt. Gen
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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CORRESPONDENCE
JUN 15 1893
BRANCH

Memorandum

15 June 1893

To Deputy Minister

With reference to the proposed school building on the Golden Lake ~~South Algoma~~ Reserve Ont. - Agent Bennett says that only a portion of the lumber is sawn and the cost of the sawing not paid for and that the Indians have failed to supply saw logs as they promised.

A new ~~The~~ school-building appears to be a necessity, and only $200 has been voted for its erection. In view of Mr Bennett's statement it is probable that the cost will exceed $200.

Approved J.A.M. June 15

Concur J.A.M. June 15

I respectfully recommend that Agent ~~Allen~~ Bennett be instructed to endeavour to obtain a resolution from the Ind. Council to the effect that their funds may be drawn upon in case the sum of $200 is not sufficient. He should explain to them that no promise can be made them of repayment, and that if they had done all they reasonably could

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in the way of providing
saw logs, the $200 would
probably have been sufficient
to complete the Building.

When the resolution
of the Council is forwarded
to the Dept. instructions will
be given to W^m Bennett to
proceed with the work.

Sam^l Bray

W. Ll. D.

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133,847

E. Bennett. Esq.
Indian Agent.
Castle P.O.
Ont.

ANSWER REQUIRED

June 17 1893

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 8th inst and the statements therein made to the effect that only a portion of the lumber reqd for the proposed new school house on the Golden Lake Reserve has been sawn (the sawing not being paid for) & that the Indians have failed to supply saw logs as they promised, I beg to state that that the building, which certainly appears to be a necessity,

will

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will, in view of the
condition of affairs
reported by you, probably
cost more than the
$200.00 voted for the
purpose.

You should therefore
endeavour to obtain from
the Indian Council
a Resolution authorizing
the Dept to draw upon
their funds in case the
$200.00 is not sufficient,
at the same time explaining
to them that no promise
of repayment can be made,
and that if they had done
all they could reasonably
have been expected to do
in the way of providing
saw logs the $200.00 would
probably have been, adequate
to complete the building.

Upon receipt of such
Resolution further instructions
in the matter will be given you

Yours &c.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 18 1893

Locath Athona July 6th 1893

Sir

In reply to yours of June 17th No 133847 I omitted the Indians at the Golden Lake Reserve on 4th inst. as I was told the most of them was away before the 4th. I Called a meeting of all that was at Home which was only 9 the rest was away Hunting, there list only 7 attend, I explained to them the Object of the meeting they were satisfied but would not sign the resolution until they would Confer with the rest when they would Come Home. which will be next week, and as soon as they Come Home I will go again to get them to sign the Resolution

Your Obedient Servant
E Burnett
Indian Agent
Castle P.O

For the Deputy for Supt
General of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Joseph Partridge
Mitchell Whitedeck
Lemah Lerisa
Seymo Lenisco
Lemah Shoqua
Old man Benewa
Loe Lenisco
Mitchell Francis
Frank Benwa
Seymo Tanias
Lozeey Commanda
John Lenisco
John Baptiste

Witness Joseph Partridge
Chief

signed by the Indians of Sol
for to draw our share money to be
build the School House on the

Joseph Partridge X - 1
mi gh e m. ne a
Lemah Sery
Seymo Tennisco X
ansab b Shoqua
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So Sebastian
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Frank Benway X
Simo Tenias
Allen Kennefe

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MEMORANDUM.

Immediate

To Deputy Minister

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, 24th January 1895

With ref. to Agent Bennett's letter of the 19th inst
relative to the proposed erection of a new
School building on the Golden Lake Reserve
I beg to report in regard to the condition
of the present School building that the
School Insp. in his report of inspection of
this School in Dec'y last stated among
other things that a new School House was
needed - that the present one was owed and
uncomfortable & so decayed that he
doubted if it would stand another winter
In a letter dated the 30th Dec'y Mr [redacted]
confirmed the remarks of the Insp. stated
that the building is about the meanest
& most dilapidated in the County for a
School house & that the teacher was obliged
to purchase paper at her own expense
to buy & keep it warm. It is therefore
doubtful whether this building could in
its present bad condition be used next
winter, but in case it cannot be used a
private house might be secured at a
small

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MEMORANDUM.

To.....

Department of Indian Affairs,

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Ottawa,.....189...

small rental for the winter months or until the new building shall have been completed

John McLean

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MEMORANDUM

To The Deputy Superintendent General

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, 18

I would respectfully recommend that the agent be authorized to employ a good carpenter & Interpreter to help in the construction of the Golden Lake Reserve School House & that the Indians work with him as suggested in the letter of 19th Inst. The agent should choose the time when the Indians could be best employed and with view of having the work done in the most economical way.

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133. 847.

E. Bennett Esq.
Indian Agent.
Castle P.O.
Ont

July 26th 1893.

Sir,

I have to ack: the rec't of your letter of the 19th Inst. in further reference to the School House proposed to be erected on the Golden Lake Reserve; and in reply I beg to inform You that You should engage a good Carpenter to superintend and assist in the construction of the building and the Indians should work with him as suggested in your letter. It will be for You to choose the time most suitable to the Indians and when

Per Dom.

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the work can be done in
the most economical way:
but the building must be
completed before the 30th June
next -

Be good enough to
report whether for such
winter a suitable house
could not be secured
secured
a moderate rental
wherein to conduct the
school.

John DP

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Answer required

Sept 7/93

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South Algoma Sept 1st 1893

Sir

In reply to yours of 16th Aug. ult No 183847 asking about the School House to be erected on the Goldenlake reserve and in reply I have to inform you that the Indians or me Could not attend to the said School House until the Crop is gathered in which will be in the Course of a Couple of weeks, before I Commence at the building I want authority to purchase what will be necessary to build, and also there would be a waggon required there for to draw the material as none of the Indians have one, it will be necessary for me to be with them when digging the foundation and building it, as they would not work if there was not some one to look after them, a Mason will have to be employed to build the foundation I think it would be Last to board the indians any day they would be working at the building as that is all the pay I would give them a waggon I can hire for $3 / a day we Cannot do without one.

I am Sir Yours Obdt. Servt.
E Kennett
Indian Agent

To The Deputy for Supt.
General of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Immediate

COR... NDENCE
SEP 9 1893
...ERANCH

Memorandum

8th Sept. 1893

Deputy Minister

With reference to letter from Agent Bennett of 1st inst. I respectfully recommend that authority be given him to purchase material for the construction of the new school-building at Golden Lake Reserve, to hire a waggon when required and to arrange for the board of the Indian workmen while engaged in the work, as he requests.

He must forward vouchers for all purchases and for payments of every description, on the receipt of which, cheques for their payment will be forwarded to him.

As instructed in letter of July, he should engage a competent man to erect the building assisted by such Indian labour as he may require. He may engage a mason to build the chimneys, if desirable, but the building should have a stone foundation. In addition — but if he should

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A 49 $100 %
9-9-93

Approved
FD
Dep
Miller

As advance of $100 has been sent him

FD

1. To receive Golden Lake Reserve
2. To prepare & forward to Golden Lake Reserve for $100 to be advanced to Agent Bennett to enable him to carry out the instructions contained in this letter.

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some reason to believe
the cost of a stone
foundation will be too great
an item, (he) should have
the building placed on ~~posts~~
cedar posts sunk 3 ft. 6 in. into
the ground instead.

(He himself) will require
to pay such visits to the
building ~~during its construction~~
as (he) may consider necessary
and exercise general supervision
during its construction. The
Dept. confidently expects that
(he) will see that the work is
economically and carefully
done.

S. Brown

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RETURN TO
REFERENCE BRANCH

133847

Encl.

E. Bennett. Esq.
Indian Agent.
Castle, P.O.
Ont.

with cheque Sept 11 1893

Sir,

I have to ack. the rec. of your letter of the 1st inst in further reference to the erection of the proposed new school house on the Golden Lake Reserve; and in reply I beg to inform you that authority is hereby given you (Here copy from memo. under a b B)

An advance of $100.00 on account of the work is sent herewith by cheque No 49 in your favour, vouchers for the expenditure of

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of which in materials
labour &c. must be
forwarded to the Dept
when if satisfactory
further advances to
be similarly accounted
for will be made.

I
Your &c.

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RETURN TO DEPARTMENTAL BRANCH

133847

Ext.

Private

E. Bennett Esq.
Indian Agent.
Carlisle P.O.
Ont.

Sept 25 1893.

Sir,

I have to ack the rect. of your letter of the 21st inst in further reference to the proposed erection of the Indian School house on the Golden Lake Reserve and in reply I beg to inform you that in view of the fact that a portion of the necessary building material has been delivered at the site & that it is therefore impossible for the Dept to state whether $200 — is a fair sum to pay for the construction of the building apart from the foundation &c. and as you do not report the amount of the contractor proposes to

you should adhere to the instructions already given you to employ a good carpenter at the lowest possible rate of wages. The German carpenter mentioned by you, if you consider him capable and responsible, would

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would do executed
by the Indians,
but he should have
at least one good Indian
workman to help at a
rate not exceeding $1.00 per day,
as otherwise the carpenter
would have to depend
upon the very unsatisfactory
labour of unpaid men
as you state in your previous
letter that you intend
to give the Indians employed
their board only

Yours

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CORRESPONDENCE
SEP 25 1893
BRANCH

Immediate

Memorandum

25th Sept. 1893

Deputy Minister

With reference to Mr Bennetts letter of 21st inst. I beg to report that a portion of the necessary timber is delivered at the site it is therefore impossible to state whether $200 is or is not a fair sum to pay for the construction of the building, omitting the paint, oil and foundation, neither does Mr Bennett state the amount of material the contractor proposes to furnish.

I think under the circumstances Mr Bennett should adhere to the instructions already given him, to employ a good carpenter, at the lowest possible rate who may be the German mentioned by himself if he considers him to be a good man for the work, assisted by one or more Indians. In a

Approved
Immediate
Secretary
Indian Branch
Sept 25/93

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In a former letter
Mr Bennett stated that he
intended to give the Indians
employed only their board. I
think the carpenter should
have at least one good
Indian assistant paid at a rate
not exceeding
~~$~~ $1.00 per day, otherwise
the carpenter will have to
altogether
depend on the very unsatisfactory
assistance
~~efforts~~ of unpaid men.

S. Brown

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
SEP 23 1893

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Sept 23/93

Sept 21st 1893

Sir

I was at the Goldenlake Reserve
taking the leaves on 20th inst and
was speaking to a german Carpenter who
lives about half a mile from the Reserve
about the School House he says he will build
it for $200.00 if the Department will
supply the paint and oil and foundation
I showed him the plan he is a good Carpenter
and a good responsable man as I am well
acquainted with him, in my opinion
it would cheaper to give the Contract to
him to finish the School House than
to build it by days labour, he says, that is
the Carpenter, that it is figured down two
fine to make any thing like good wages at it
I am to Commence on the 2nd of October to build
the foundation for the School House,
please let me know immediately if I will give
him the Contract or build by days labour

I am Sir Your
Obedient Servant
E Bennett
Indian Agent

For The Deputy for Supt Genl
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
NOV 11 1893

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C.C for repair

Sault Algoma Nov 9th 1893

Sir

I want to know if I will be allowed to give timber of vacant lots on the Reserve to Mr Parsons for Lumber supplied for building the School House at Golden Lake Reserve. the Indians promised in the biginning to get out logs this winter to pay for the Lumber, but I will not depend on their word, as they promised to help to build it but all the work I could get out of them was one day from ten of them I gave them their dinner that day, there was lumber to be drawn to the School House and I had to go with my team and Waggon and draw it, the only Indian who is willing to do any work for the House is Lee Partridge, but they Elected another Chief this fall a young man, I am sorry Lee Partridge is not Chief as him and I got along well. as he was willing to help the Indians and me, it was Jealousy was the Cause of it, I wish he could be appointed Chief from Ottawa the new School House will be finished and ready for the Teacher at the new year, I visit it twice a week. Mr Lukoff the Carpenter is a hard working man. he is to get two dollars a day and board himself and he is worth it. the flew is built, the House is ~~out~~ underpinned with stone finished / there is only the & finish doors & Windows, to finish the building unless Painting which can be done in the spring, I thought it would be better to finish the work to a finish, for to pay rent for the winter, for the House to teaching would be twenty dollars

Re appointment of Chief J. Stewart

for the Deputy for Superintendent General of Indian Affairs Ottawa

Your Obedient Servant
E Bennett
Indian Agent

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CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH
NOV 14 1898

Memo:

Agt. Bennett has say how much timber Mr. Parent has furnished and how much timber will be required in exchange. We can of the quantity of timber, and if it is in fair proportion I see no reason why same not be given. This course will save the Cost which would otherwise have to pay for the lumber.

The election for Chief must have been illegal as it was not held with the consent of the Dept. & her people, as Mr. Stewart informs me, began

Agt. in charge
this agency

To the Dyke.

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Reported to the Dept. Agent Bennett
the grist mill matter

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RETURN TO CORRESPONDENCE BRANCH.

ANSWER REQUIRED

Encl.

133847

E. Bennett Esq.
Indian Agent.
Castle P.O.
Ont.

Nov^r 16 1893

Sir,

With reference to the enquiry made in your letter of the 9th inst as to whether the Dept will sanction the exchange of timber taken from vacant lots on the Golden Lake Reserve for the lumber supplied by Mr Parsons for building the new school house, I have to request that you will advise me as to the quality of lumber supplied for the building and how much timber it is proposed to give in exchange, when a decision will be given you in the matter

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As regard the
election, incidentally
mentioned by you, of
a chief this Fall, I
have to inform you
that this was illegal,
as it was not held with
the consent of the Dept
and was never reported
by you for confirmation.
~~You should furnish~~ Kindly furnish
~~full~~ explanations in the
matter.

Yours &c.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 2 1893

Squaw Algona Dec. 1st 1893

C/C Cost

We have ordered Mr Parsons to send you the bill for sawing and dressing Lumber for Indian School House for the reason that he has been paying Dollars for what he thought there is on the vacant lots that there is only two Pine trees on the vacant lots and only 1/3 of the trees is timber on the lots it is brush and we will be obliged to cut it off

Your Obedient Servant
E Bennett
Indian Agent

For the Deputy for Supt Genl
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Draft Encl.

Wm E Bennett.
Indian Agent
Carlisle. Ont
4th Sept

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 1st Inst. I have to inform you that as there is such a small quantity of timber on the vacant lots on the Reserve it is thought best that all the timber required for the School House being built for the Golden Lake Indians should be purchased.

I have however to refer you to official letter of 17th June last in which you were informed that the building would probably cost more than $200 and that you should therefore endeavour to obtain from the Ind. Council a resolution authorizing the department to draw upon the funds of the Golden Lake Indians in case the $200 was not sufficient.

An advance of $100

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has already been made
to you on ac of the building
which ~~has not yet been~~ showed Mr. Angus
accounted for. And therefore
there is only $100 left to
pay for lumber.

All accounts should
be rendered in duplicate
on the proper forms

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School

Lorette Manitoba December 21st 1893

144738

Sir

In reply to yours of 7th Dec.
No. 13847 asking to get a resolution
from the Indians of Golden Lake Reserve
to draw on their funds for the Completion
of the New School House. I have
to inform you that resolution was
was got and sent to the Department,
as I think if the resolution was submitted
to them now they would not sign it
the Carpenters bill will be about one Hundred
and Twenty five dollars. I think there will
be some left of the Hundred dollars I got
for supplies, I have vouchers in three
places to redeem. there is three Gallons
of Paint Oil to be got yet. I will
mail on the 29th inst an account for the $100.00
the School House is ready for to open school
on the 2nd of January or will be, as I was
there yesterday and he had the first coat
of Paint on. he expects to put on the
other Coat this week.

Your Obedient
Servant
D Kennedy
Indian Agent

To The Asst Sup. Gen.
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Schools.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 23 1893

South Afzona Dec 21st 1893

Sir

I want to know if I may purchase new Desks and a Teachers desk for the new School House. as the old ones would be a disgrace to the school House as the said House is a handsome one. the Patent Desks I can get at Pembroke. they will be attached to the floor. let me know if I can to get them as I will have them in the new School House before school opens

whatever. Three cost from

Your Obedient Servant
F Kennedy
Indian Agent

To the Deputy for Supt Genl
of Indian Affairs
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
DEC 23 1893

SCHOOL BRANCH
DEC 30 1893

144742

Sturgeon Lake Algoma Dec 22nd 1893

Sir

The Indians of Goldenlake Reserve will not supply wood for the School House the Teacher had to close school for the want of wood. I have threatened them that I would Keep the price of Cutting and drawing the wood out of their pay grant which I intend to do this year I will keep a dollar from each House Holder until he delivers one Cord of wood something like it will have to be done as the wood will have to come from outsiders let me know if this plan will suit

Your obedient Servant
E Dennett
Indian Agent

To the Deputy for Supt Gen
of Indian Affairs
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Draft

E. Bennett. Esq.
Indian Agent
Castle P.O.
Ont.

Dec. 28th 1893

Sir —

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd inst; and in reply to inform you that the Dept. approves of the plan you propose to adopt to secure a supply of wood for the Indian School on the Golden Lake Reserve.

HM

I have the
obdt. servt.

JAB

D. S. G. & I. A. —

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Sault Ste Marie December 29th 1893

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS DEC 30 1893

ACCOUNTANTS JAN 5 1894

Sir

as I write Mr. Pattesons is at my place to see if the Department sent the Amount of his bill, he bids me to write to send the Account by return Mail as he is in need of money and he tells me that he supplied one dollar to the Cost of Mouldings after Widening & Lapping the Bill for the Indian School Hodens

Per $100 on a/c

Returned for Audit

Recd 1 Jan 94

Audited

Forwarded

by

Chief Clerk

Indian Office

Ottawa

6 Jan 94

Comptroller

for payment

Examined

a/c 128

128
222 $100.00
5.1-94

For the Deputy for Supt. Genl
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Ottawa 9th Jany .1894.

With Cheque TC

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 29th ultimo, in the matter of Mr Parson's bill amounting to $138.34 for lumber etc supplied for the Golden Lake Indian School I enclose herewith a cheque , No 222 for $100.00 in Mr Parsons' favour on account ,and I return the bill in order that it ,together with the additional item for moldings subsequently furnished, may be made out in duplicate on the proper forms and duly certified by you.

Kindly advise the Department as to what the additional cost of the building is likely to be ,so that the authority of Council can be obtained for payment of the balance from the funds of the Band .

Your obedient servant.

Deputy of the Supt Genl.
of Indian Affairs.

E.Bonnett Esqr,
Indian Agent,
Castile,
Ont.

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145254

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 8 1894

Lauch Algoma January 4th 1894

Sir

I Cannot send the vouchers for the 1800 ans until 12th inst I went after some of them but the parties were not at home I left word at their place of Residence if I had not them on the 8th inst I would not redeem their orders, so I expect to have them mailed on the 12th inst.

I am Sir Your
Obedient Servant
E Bennett
Indian Agent

For the Deputy for Supt. Genl.
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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145495

South Algoma January 11th 1884

Acct.

Sir

I send you William Luloffs bill for building new school House his wages per day is two dollars and board himself the help he called in is allowed one dollar & a quarter a day and board themselves. he told me he could have the school House ready for occupancy by getting help, I thought it was better to do so than to be paying rent for a house for the winter, the said William Luloff has made a good Job, I consider he earned his money. he worked well at it

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 13 1884

I am Sir
Your obedient Servant
E Bennett
Indian Agent

For the Deputy for Supt Genl
of Indian Affairs
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145496

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 13 1894
23

Dec

Leech Algma January 11st 1894

Sir I send you vouchers for One Hundred Dollars required for to purchase supplies for the new School House built and finished on the Indian reserve there is Ninety four dollars & 52 ¢ paid leaving $5.48 on hand the only mishap we met with is the breaking of 16 panes of glass there is five left I left them to the Carpenter in case any of the panes in the windows would get broken, I gave a day with my team drawing lumber which if I charged would be three dollars and also the sleepers or Joists I got them made by hand which would more than pay for the glass, that is the only thing that annoyed me the rest is all correct, the Leader is Leaking in the new School House it is a handsome building

I am Sir Your
Your Obedient Servant
E Bennett
Indian Agent

To the Secretary for Dept of
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Forwarding answer
to letter of Supt.
Inst. Re
[illegible]
DC

SCHOOL BRANCH
JAN 24 1894

Memorandum.

Department of Indian Affairs,

To .....

Ottawa, 15 January 1894

Revenue $ 145495 & 145496

ACCOUNTANTS
JAN 16 1894
BRANCH.

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DRAFT

OTTAWA 25th January I894

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 2Ist ultimo in which you ask if you may purchase new desks for the teacher and pupils of the Golden Lake School, I have to request that you will state what those desks will cost delivered at the school and how many will be required.

The Department regrets that this matter was overlooked.

Your obedient servant,

Deputy Supt:Genl:
of Indian Affairs.

E.Bennet,Esq.
Indian Agent,
Castile,P.O.
Ont.

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I hereby acknowledge Receipt of 145985
Cheque No. 222. Amt One Hundred dollars
in favor of E L Parsons for Lumber
supplied for building Indian School House
at Golden Lake

13394

E Bennett
Indian Agent

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 27 1894
OTTAWA

there was no Form A Came with
said cheque
E Bennett

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145982

No. of Acct.

INDIAN TRUST FUND.

The Department of Indian Affairs, Dr

To E L Parsons

1894 DATE.			AMOUNT.	
January	23	to balance of ac for Lumber supplied for building the Indian School House at Golden Lake	38	34
		to Mouldings	1	75
		3286 $40 09		
			40	09

I hereby certify that the articles have been received, the services performed and that the prices are fair and just.

E Bennett Agent.

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January 23 - 94

Act of Lumber supplied to
the Indian Reserve School at
Golden Lake

Balance on act rendered $ 38. 34

2 mouldings 1. 75

4009

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 27 1894
ACCOUNTANTS
JAN 30 1894
BRANCH

Acct
1338

Mt Forest Algoma January 24 - 1894

Sir

I send you the balance of Mr Parsons a/c for Lumber supplied for building Indian School House at Golden Lake

I am Sir Your
Obedient Servant
E Bennett
Indian Agent

Write & ask if Building is Completed & if all bills have been sent in before we forward the amount (#54.48) remaining in his hands.

R.S.D. March

For the Deputy for Supt. Genl
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Draft

Encl.

Ottawa 31st Jany, 1894.

Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 24th instant, and the account therewith forwarded for the balance due Mr Parsons on account of lumber etc supplied for the erection of the Golden Lake Indian School, I have to request that you will advise me whether the building has been completed, and whether all the accounts in connection therewith have been sent to the Department If so you should refund the amount Viz:- $5.48 remaining in your hands.

Shew

Your obedient servant.

Hayter Reed

Deputy of the Supt Genl.

of Indian Affairs.

E.Bonnett Esqr,

Indian Agent,

Castile P.O.

Ontario.

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146405

133-847

Sarnia Ont Feb 8th 1884

Sir

In reply to yours of January 25th - 84 No 133-847 asking what the Desks would cost. they will cost about $2-75/100 a piece and stout timber 12 would do. if they are to be given I would like to get them before sleighing would go as it is quite a piece to Pembroke to where they are made. the Desks for the Leaches will cost about four dollars

Your obedient Servant
E Bennett
Indian Agent
Castle PO

The Deputy for Supt Gen
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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Answer required

146406

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 10 1894

SCHOOL BRANCH
FEB 12 1894

Kw

133847

Sacred Heart Algona Feb. 8th 1894

Sir

In reply to Yours of Jan. 31st No. 133847 asking if the Golden Lake Indian School is Completed; it is only to paint it on the outside. I went to see the Carpenter who built the School House and asked him how much it would Cost to give it two Coats of Paint he said it would Cost twenty dollars, that is for the body of the House also I asked him how much it would Cost to put on seven shutters he said one dollar a piece, the shutters should be got on as they will have the Windows during Vacation and other times when School is not open, also there should be a well dug during the Summer as they have no water only the River water to drink winter or Summer

C Barnett

Painting 20.00
Blinds 7.00
Well ?

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E. Bennett Esq
Indian Agent
Castle Ont

Rcd.

Feby 14th 1894

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 8th instant I have to inform you that before the Department can consider the question of any further expenditure in connection with the New School Building at Goodenake Res it will be required that [illegible] be forwarded with accounts for all expenditure to date that be necessary for you to refer to Official letter of the 31st ult in which you were asked to state whether the building is completed & to forward all accounts in connection therewith have been sent to Dept.

I am Sir
Your obt Servt

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Solicitor's Deed

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146783

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 24 1894

South Algoma February 20th 1894

Sir

In reply to yours of February 14th No. 133-847 referring me to official letter of the 31st. ultimo asking if all the accounts in connection with the building of the School House on the Golden Lake Reserve and I have to state that all the Accounts ~~are~~ have been sent to the Department I also enclose the five dollars & 48 ¢ that was left after buying the supplies for the said School House

Your Obedient Servant
E Bennett
Indian Agent
Castle P.O

To the Deputy for Supt. Genl
of Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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OFFICE OF THE

PEMBROKE FOUNDRY,

C. DEVLIN & SON, PROPRIETORS.

146784

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 24 1894

Pembroke, Ont., Feb 9 1894

Mr E Bennett
Castile P O

Dear Sir

Your letter of the 6 inst has just came to hand. In reply We beg leave to say that We can furnish You with Desks for $3.10 xxx each, wooded with Basswood. or with good sound well seasoned ash for $3.50 xxv
The above quotations are Pembroke prices. the delivering of them We can hardly give You a price for, but You know the distance from here there, and about what it is worth to deliver them. We would leave the price of delivering them to Yourselves. if you want them placed in the school We would charge You 12 cents each for screws and screwing the desks to floor.

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School B 133847

146784

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 24 1894

South Algoma Feb 20th 1894

Sir

I made a mistake in the price of the Desks for the School House as you will see by the enclosed letter from Mr Devlin & Sons who make the same, I hope it is not too late to remedy the mistake. I thought when I wrote that $2.75 was the price of them, but I was mistaken. as I had not this letter of Mr Devlins at the time as for the charge for delivering the desks it is worth about four dollars for it will take the most of two days to go an come from Pembroke and load the desks on,

Your obd't Servt
O'Bennett
Indian Agent
Gentile P.O

3 10 @ $37.20
4.00
4.00
1.44
46.64

72 ab
Teacher Desk
Cushion
Screws

For the Supt for Supt General of Indian Affairs
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FEB 24 1894

13384

146785

Copy

Sault Ste Marie Feb 22d 1894

Sir

You had better send Mr Parsons & Mr Luboff their money for Lumber supplied & building the School House as they would like to have their pay

D. Bennett Indian Agent
Castle P.O
Ont.

For the Deputy for Supt. Genl
of Indian Affairs
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BANK OF MONTREAL.

No. 4188

Original, for the Depositor.

$ 5 48

Bank of Montreal,

OTTAWA
24 FEB 1894
189

Received from E Bennett

on account of Land Funds

the sum of Five 48/100 Dollars,

which amount will appear at the RECEIVER GENERAL'S credit with this Bank.

Signed in Triplicate,

Ent'd. J.

Attorney Manager.
Pro Manager.

BANK OF MONTREAL.

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Duplicate, for Department.

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Memorandum

Department of Indian Affairs,

To .....

Ottawa, 2 Feby 1894

1st School Bk 146783 146784

2nd Sect. 146783 146785

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MEMORANDUM.

To Depy Minister

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Mar 5th 1896

The unpaid accts in connection with the building of the School House at Golden Lake amount to — $176.34.

There is still left from the Approp^{n} 5.48

leaving a balance of $170,86

to be paid from the funds of the Band for which and order in Council would be required, — and if new seats &c are purchased the cost would be about $47.00 additional — These Indians have

at credit of Capital a/c 220.78

" " Interest 8.70

$229.48

There will not be sufficient funds to permit of the other work asked for being done at present :-

Painting	20.00
Shutters	7.00
Well —	—

Schools
See 14678

W. J. Wallace
per Asch

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Ext
133,847

SCHOOL BRANCH MAR 9 1894

Schools
Le wrote

Ottawa, 8th March, 1894.

His Excellency

The Governor General in Council.

The undersigned has the honour to report that Parliament voted $200.00 towards the construction of a school house on the Golden Lake Reserve, in the County of Renfrew, Ontario, and that the Indians of that Reserve, who have at their credit in the hands of the Department, $220.78, capital, and $2.70 interest, have expressed their willingness that the amount required for the completion of the school, over and above the appropriation made by Parliament, should be taken from their funds. After expending the Parliamentary appropriation there will be an unpaid balance of $170.86 on account of the building. It is estimated that $47.00 will be required for seats, and $7.00 for shutters, making the whole amount required for the completion of the school $224.86.

The undersigned would respectfully recommend that the authority of Your Excellency in Council be given for the expenditure of the $224.86 required for the completion of the school from the money at the credit of the Golden Lake Indians.

Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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133847 147833

South Algoma March 30th 1894

Sir

what is the reason the Carpenter who built the Indian School House and Mr Parsons who supplied the Lumber is not getting their pay. I expected their Cheques every week since January if their pay is not at the Brudenell Office tommorow. Send next week as they expect it every week. in fact one of the parties threatened to collect his pay please attend to this at once

[illegible]

For the Deputy for Supt Genl
of Indian Affairs
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GOLDEN LAKE

Bridge
Ottawa & Parry Sound Southern Rwy

S. Algoma
County of Renfrew
Ont

GOLDEN LAKE I.R.

PLAN
OF
INDIAN RESERVATION
SOUTH ALGONA

COPY OF ORIGINAL PLAN
IN CROWN LANDS DEPARTMENT
TORONTO

All lines within the blue shading established, and regularly marked posts planted at the several corners of each lot.

Signed Frank V. Purvis
P.L.S.

Eganville 22nd Feby 1883.

TRUE NORTH

Latitude 45°37'28"
Variation 6°36'24"
N.21°50'30"W.

OTTAWA AND PARRY SOUND RWY.

BONNECHERE RIVER

X
IX
VIII
VII

15 14 13 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3

58.75 | 40.00 | 100 ac. | 87.50 | 161 ac. | 78.00 | 39.00 | 77½ ac. | 39.00 | 133 ac. | 113 ac. | 7½ ac. | 100 ac. | 111 ac. | 57.50 | 55 ac.

30.00 | 40.00 | 140 ac. | 39.00 | 25.00 | 37½ ac. | 25.00 | 100 ac. | 100 ac. | 100 ac. | 100 ac. | 100 ac.

Scale. 20 chains to an inch.

D.L.S. 16 Nov 1904

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Ottawa, 6th February, 1912.

Sir:-

Referring to your letter of the 24th ultimo, I re-enclose herewith a voucher rendered at $5.00 which you submitted for prizes purchased for the children of the Golden Lake School. Kindly attach to the voucher the original account for the articles purchased. If the account has not been paid, the voucher should be made out in favour of the merchant who supplied the goods, but if the teacher paid for the articles purchased, then the voucher may be in her favour, but the merchant's receipted account should, in that case, bd attached to the voucher.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

Martin Mullen Esq.,
Indian Agent,
Killaloe, Ont.

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ROYAL ARMS

TENDERS.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked on the envelope "Tender for school-house, Golden Lake," will be received up to noon of March 20th, 1912, for the construction of a frame school-house on the Golden Lake Reserve, near Golden Lake Station, Ont.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the post offices, Renfrew, Arnprior, Pembroke and Eganville, at the office of the Indian Agent, Killaloe Station, and at the Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank for ten per cent of the amount of the tender, made payable to the order of the undersigned, which will be forfeited if the person or persons tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement in any newspaper will not be paid for.

J. D. McLean,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, February 15, 1912.

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Limited

8-24 Morse Street,

Toronto

Maple Leaf Decorative Aid Department.

Ont.

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Ottawa, February 15, 1912.

Sir,

I beg to enclose herewith a copy of an advertisement which you will be good enough to have inserted in two issues of the following weekly papers,- The Eganville Star-Enterprise, the Arnprior Chronicle, the Pembroke Standard and the Renfrew Journal and in two issues of the "Ottawa Valley Journal" and the "Central Canada Citizen".

You will note that tenders are returnable March 20th and I would ask you to see that the advertisement goes forward at the earliest possible date.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The King's Printer,
Ottawa, Ont.

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POOR.
COPY

152205/5

Ottawa, February 15, 1912.

Sir,

I beg to inform you that I am sending, under separate cover, copies of the plans and specifications for a proposed new school building at Golden Lake. You will be good enough to let any contractors who may wish to tender see these plans and specifications. Kindly return them to the Department immediately after March 20th, next.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Post Master,
Renfrew, Ont.

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The Post Master,
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6 letters

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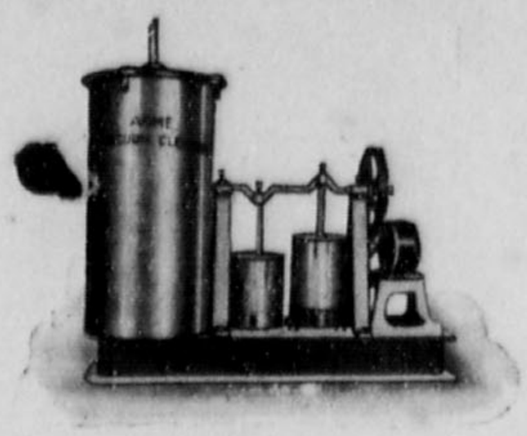
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1/4 H.P. for two-flat houses

¶The "ACME" Electric Vacuum Cleaner is adaptable to all styles of buildings.

¶The above cut shows the "ACME" Vacuum Cleaner, fitted with a 1/4 H.P. Electric Motor and is suitable for dwellings or houses with two flats.

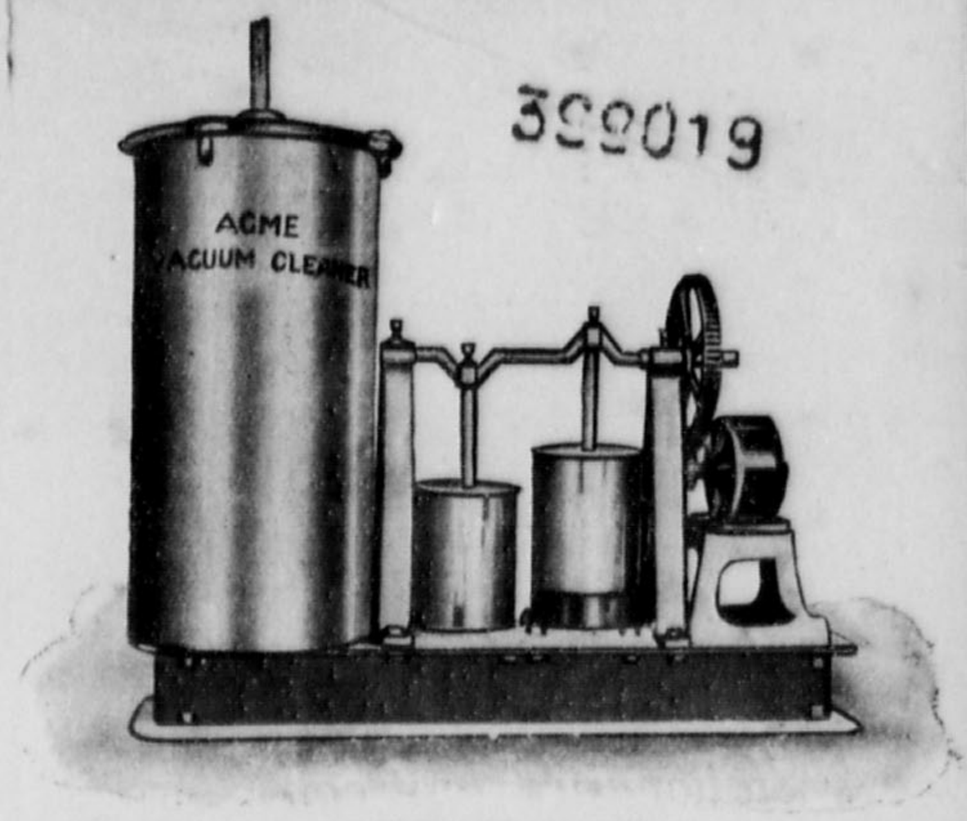
¶The installation includes the necessary piping, electric wiring with connections and switches. Also the requisite lengths of hose with renovators and brushes.

¶The Stationary Plant is installed in the basement and the dust or dirt is drawn into the receptacle, or Dust Tank.

¶For full particulars address

Acme
Vacuum Cleaner Co. Limited
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1 H.P. and upwards

¶The above cut represents our large "ACME" Stationary Vacuum Cleaner.

¶We are prepared to give estimates for the installation of these large plants suitable for Apartment Houses, Banks, Office Buildings, Churches, Colleges and Convents.

¶All our Stationary Plants are constructed to maintain a high vacuum and large air displacement.

¶Our "ACME" Vacuum Cleaner Plants are guaranteed for a term of five years.

¶Estimates and full particulars given on application.

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Our Stationary Plants are constructed on the principle of our "ACME" Portable Vacuum Cleaners which have become well known and in use throughout the Dominion.

A Stationary Plant can be installed in any dwelling or building at a moderate cost. Every modern dwelling should be fitted with one of these Stationary Plants.

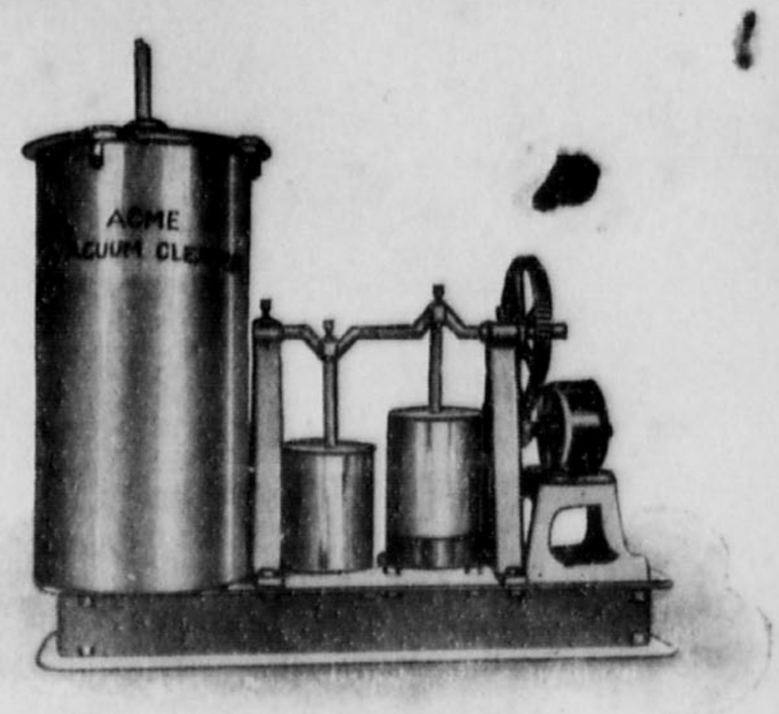
From a sanitary stand-point and as a labor-saving appliance they appeal to the community at large.

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OFFICE and FACTORY: 20 and 20a St. Peter Street

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1/2 H.P. for three-flat houses

¶We have great pleasure in presenting to your notice our "ACME" Stationary Vacuum Cleaning Plants (Sheppard-Adams Patent) manufactured in different sizes for Dwellings, Apartment Houses, Office Buildings, Banks, Hotels, Colleges, Factories, Churches and Convents.

¶The above cut is our model "ACME" Electrical Vacuum Cleaner, adaptable to medium size houses, being fitted with a 1/2 H.P. Motor.

¶The Vacuum Cleaner is installed in the basement and is operated by an Electric Motor suitable to the capacity and requirements of the building in which it is placed.

¶We are prepared to furnish estimates to Architects, Builders and Contractors, for the installation of complete outfits, according to specifications.

¶The "ACME" Stationary Vacuum Plants are manufactured by us in our factory where they can be seen in operation.

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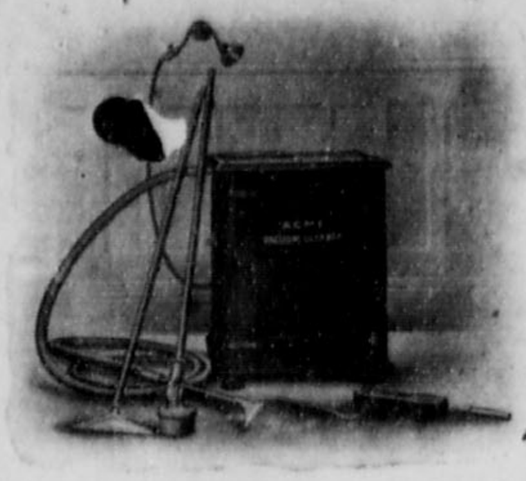
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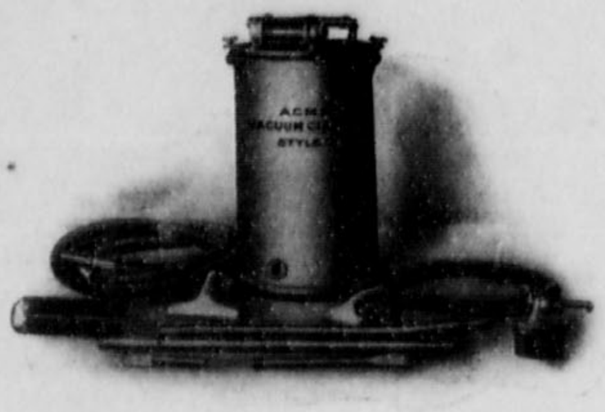
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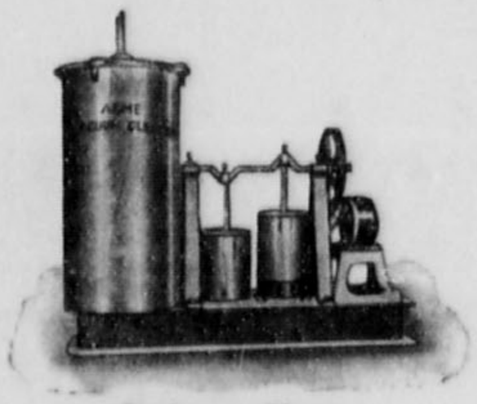
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Style A



Style C



Stationary Cleaner

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two sizes.

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Portable Electric Cleaners
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Call at our Showrooms
669 St. Catherine Street, West
and see the "Acme"
in operation.

The Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
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Dear Sir:-

We note that you are receiving tenders in connection with the erection of a frame school house on the Golden Lake Reserve, near Golden Lake Station, Ont.

We would like to ascertain if you are contemplating installing a vacuum cleaner to take care of the sweeping.

We have installed machines with a great many hotels, office buildings & schools, namely:- The Marchand School, Dorchester St., St. Louis School, Clark Ave., Westmount, St. Paul's Academy, Adams Ave., Letourneux School, Letourneux St., Montreal.

We take pleasure in mailing you our catalogue and circulars of our stationary and portable machines. We build machines all the way from 1/4 to 10 h.p.

Trusting that we may have the pleasure of receiving inquiry from you, we beg to remain,

Yours very truly,

ACME VACUUM CLEANER CO. LIMITED,

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DIRECTIONS

After opening the package, stir the contents thoroughly until the whole is of the same consistency throughout.

If applied over wall-paper, see that all the paper is firmly adhered and patch up all loose portions.

On plastered walls, fill up all cracks with plaster of paris and smooth down all rough and uneven places with coarse sandpaper. If wall-paper has been removed, see that no small pieces remain to form lumps on the finished work.

A coat of **M. L. Liquid Wall Size, Shellac or Varnish Size** should be applied on all new plastered walls, and in every instance the walls must be thoroughly dry.

Two coats of **Flat Wall Color** will give best results, allowing 24 hours between each coat for drying.

Apply with a 4-inch flat bristle brush and do not brush out too much.

One gallon will cover 600 square feet, one coat.

Many other shades can be produced by mixing one color with another, or by tinting the white to the shade desired by using our M. L. Pure Colors in oil thinned with turpentine.

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MAPLE LEAF Flat Wall Colors

Maple Leaf Flat Wall Colors are sanitary and washable Wall Oil Paints that are easily applied and dry with an even flat tone showing no laps. They form a non-porous and non-absorbent coating that is easily cleaned and renewed.

They are made from the best selection of non-poisonous pigments, suitable for any place requiring perfect sanitation. They are unequalled for all public buildings such as schools, hospitals, churches, hotels and apartment houses and for dwelling houses of any style. A novice can apply them with perfect results.

They can be used over wall-paper, on burlap, rough and smooth plastered walls and on woodwork and make an excellent undercoat for Enamels. Any kind of stencil or free hand decoration can be applied over them and blended into a most perfect scheme of Interior Decoration. Our booklet, "The Wall Beautiful and Hygienic," contains an illustrated catalogue of stencils and stencil colors. A post card will bring it to you.

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Washable Flat Wall Coverings are without question the most sanitary, and at the same time the most artistic that can be used on Interior walls, producing flat, soft velvet-like effects.

They put into the hands of the skilled decorator, and the unskilled house owner the means of obtaining pleasing and artistic treatment of walls and ceilings that will be in perfect harmony with any style of furnishings. The housewife is not limited to the ready-prepared designs of wall-papers, very few of which are in any way satisfactory, but by a little use of individual taste and judgment in the selection and combination of the tints shown on this folder, may obtain any effect she may desire, at a cost very much less than that of wall-paper.

The soft tones are restful to the eyes and to the temperament, and lend themselves to any scheme of decoration, from the delicate Blues or Pinks for bedroom use to the deep and rich tones for the library and dining room.

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411 FRENCH GRAY

409 PALE GREEN

410 PINK

406 DARK GREEN

421 GOLDEN BUFF

416 AUTUMN BROWN

402 RICH RED

417 CLARET

404 CANARY YELLOW

401 LIGHT FAWN

407 TAN

403 APPPLE GREEN

408 SKY BLUE

405 AZURE BLUE

412 LIGHT BLUE

418 IMPERIAL BLUE

Also made in 414 Flat White, 415 Flat Black, 419 Ivory and 420 Cream

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Asst. Deputy & Secretary,
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Dear Sir:-

We have been advised in regard to your preparations of plans and specifications for the erection of the school at Golden Lake Reserve, and desire to call your attention and consideration to MAPLE LEAF FLAT WALL COLORS for interior wall and ceiling decoration.

If you are directly interested, we request the privilege of demonstrating their quality and durability, combined with their rich decorative effects and valuable sanitary features.

If not directly interested would you kindly place us in touch with the persons to whom we might go in respect to the above contract?

For your convenience we are enclosing a postcard, and would be obliged if you would make a brief notation of such information.

We are,

Yours respectfully,

EM/W.
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THE IMPERIAL VARNISH & COLOR COMPANY LIMITED
Per H. E. Mitchell
Mgr. M. L. Decorative Aid Dept.

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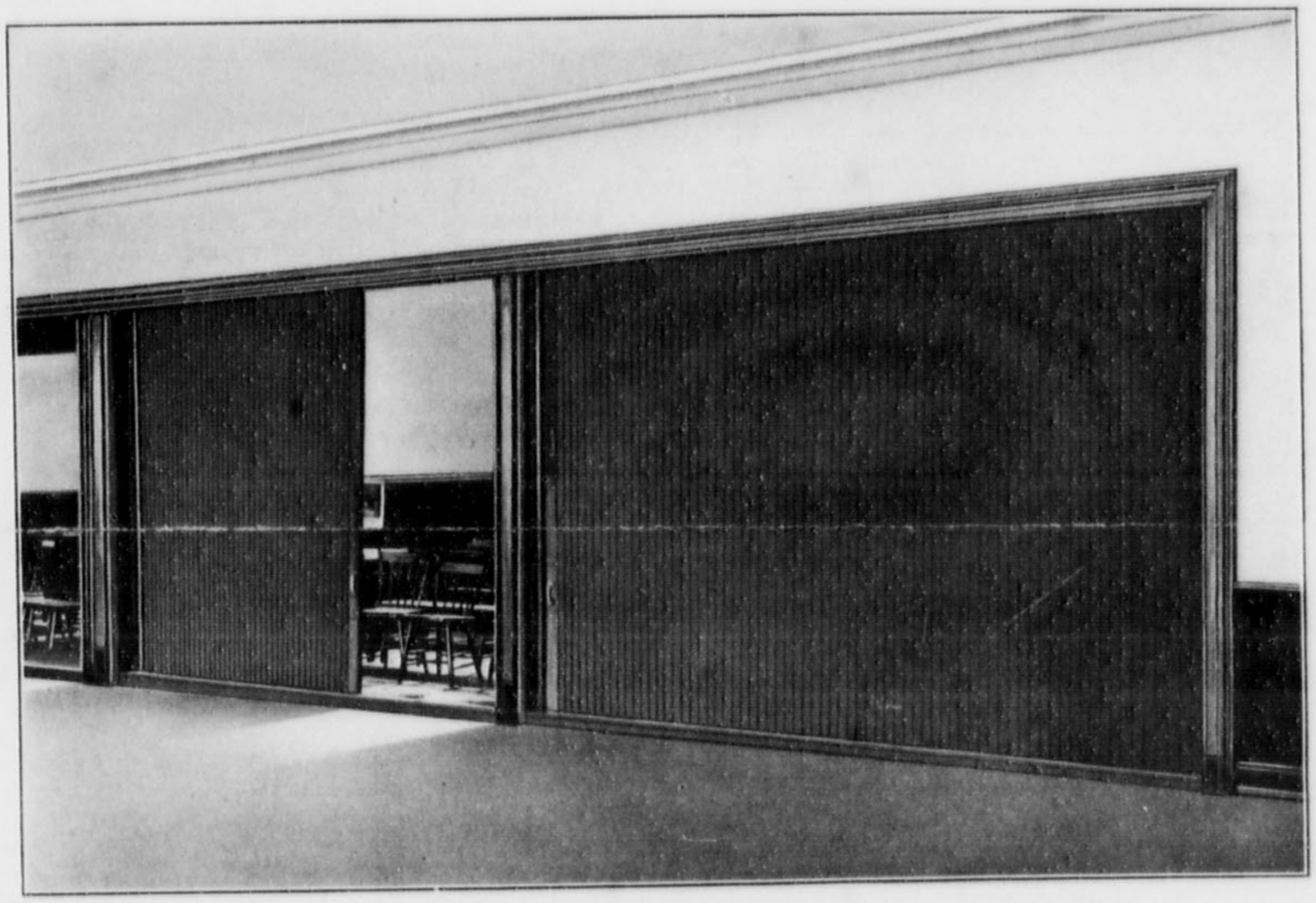
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Our Partitions have proved their superiority by years of service in many public buildings throughout Canada.



Illustrating Vertical Rolling Partitions (rolling to the side)

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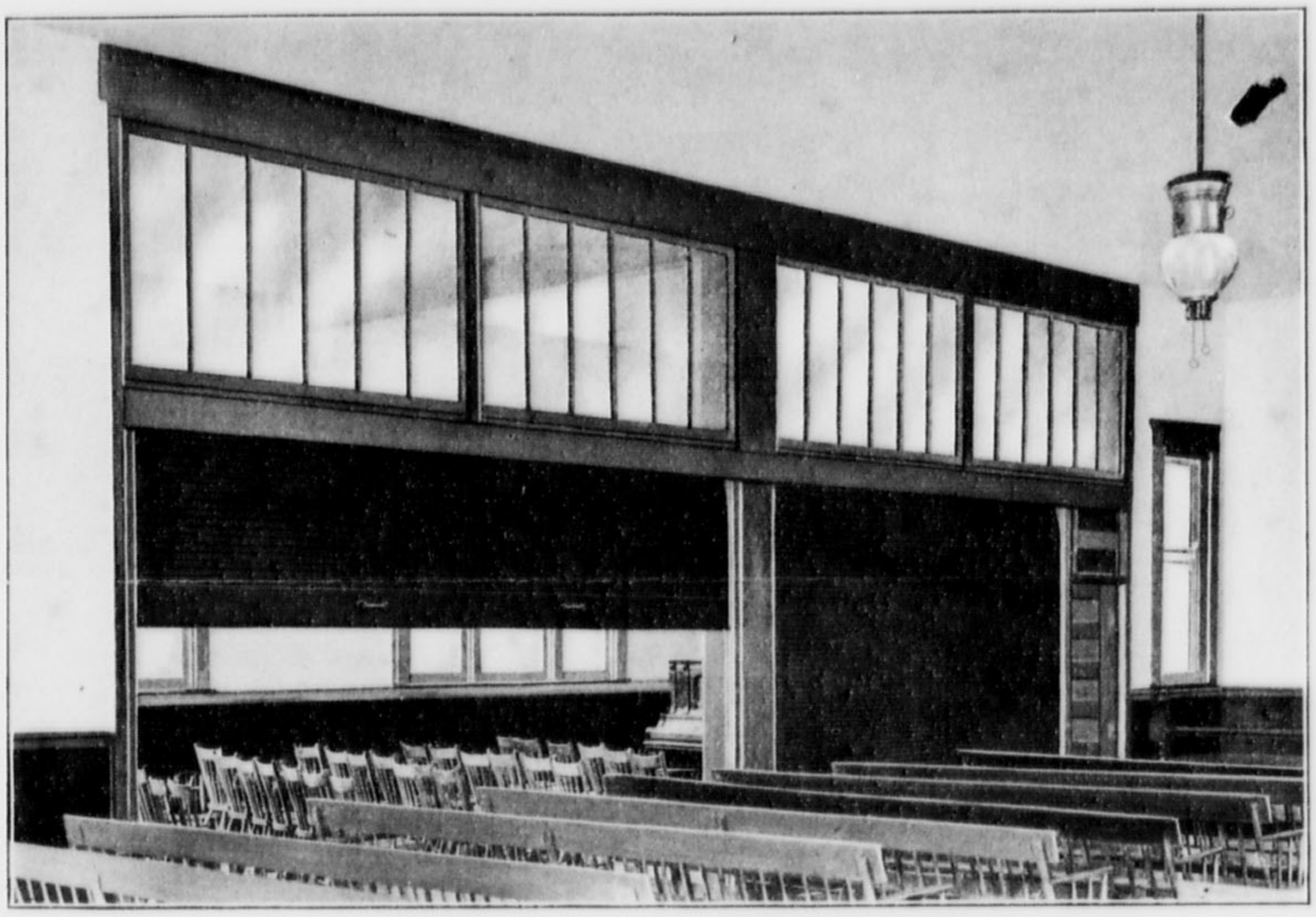
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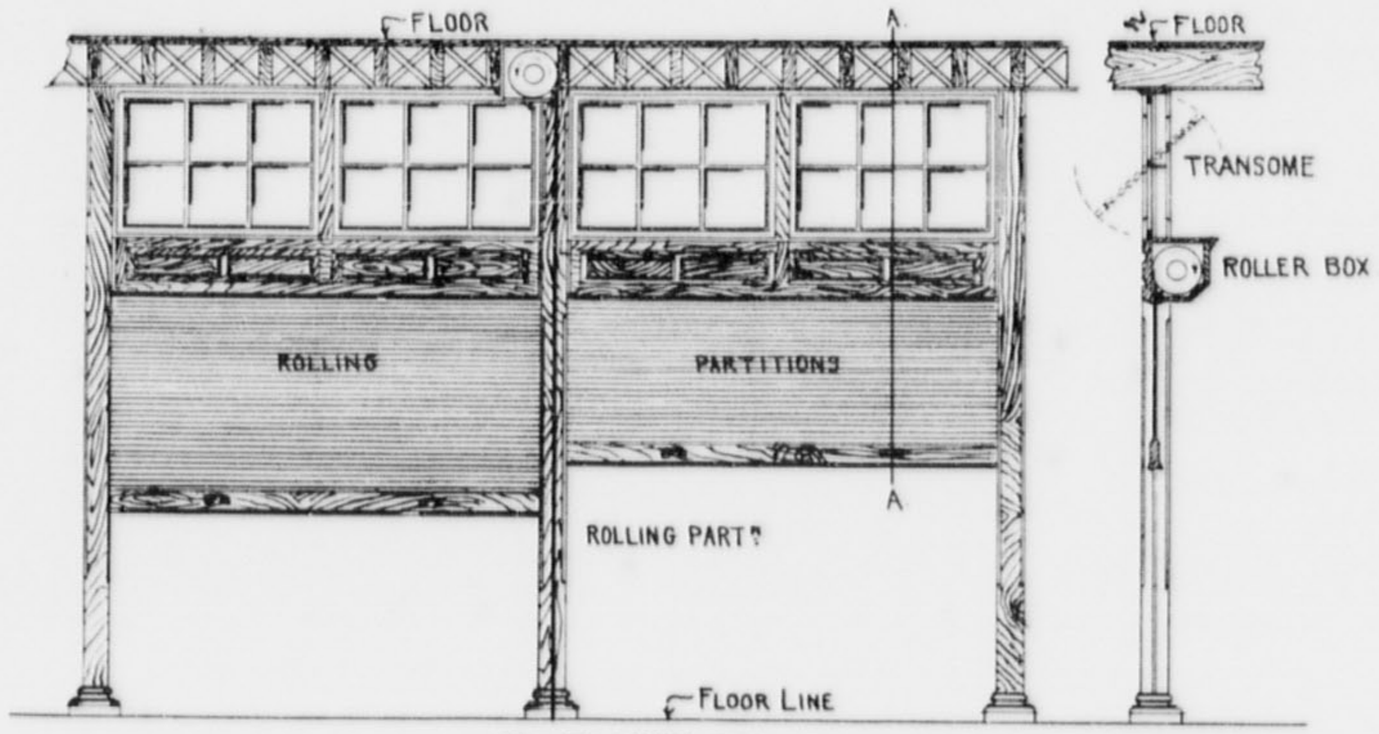
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METHOD OF CONSTRUCTION

WATSMITH ROLLING PARTITIONS are composed of narrow slats (tongued and grooved) threaded upon steel bands. They roll up like a shade—either overhead or at the side. Anchor springs embedded in the base of partition are provided to take care of expansion and contraction in coiling.

WATSMITH VERTICALS (rolling to side) are equipped with steel sheaves and track, making operation easy and noiseless.



ELEVATION SECTION.

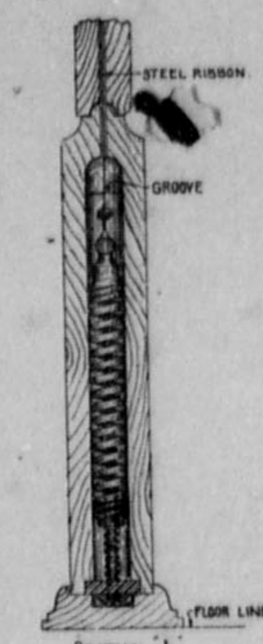
GROUP OF 3 ROLLING PARTITIONS, 2 HAVING FANLIGHTS ABOVE.

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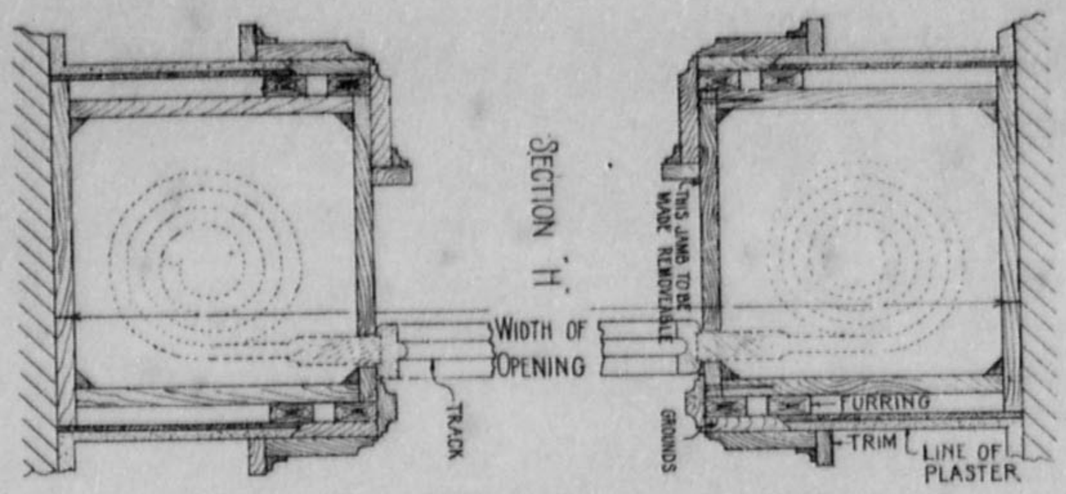
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SECTION "L"
BASEBOARD & ANCHOR SPRING.

The Anchor Spring, with adjustable tension takes care of all expansion and contraction.



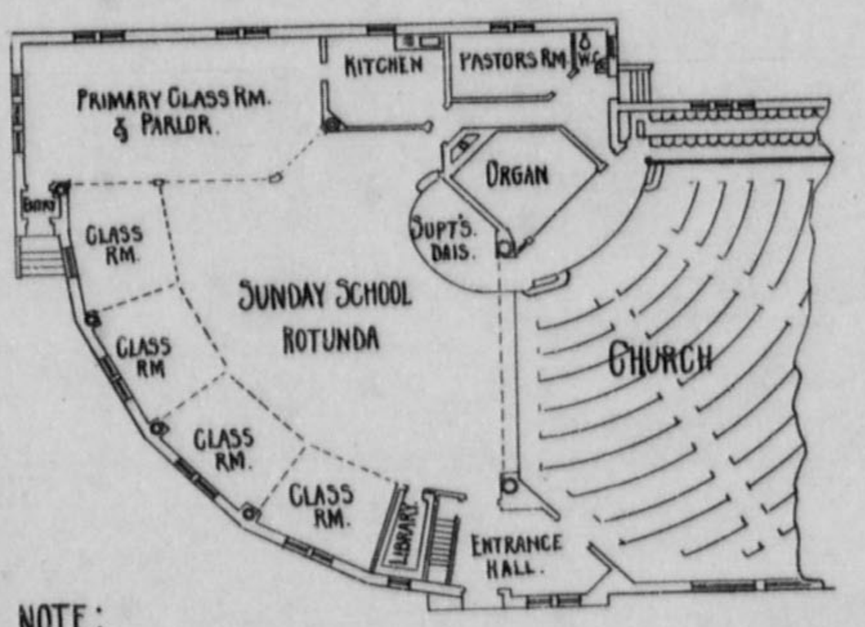
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THRU STRIP OF CURVED SLATS

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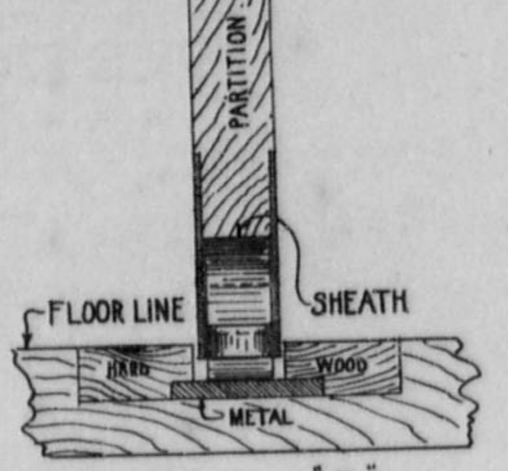
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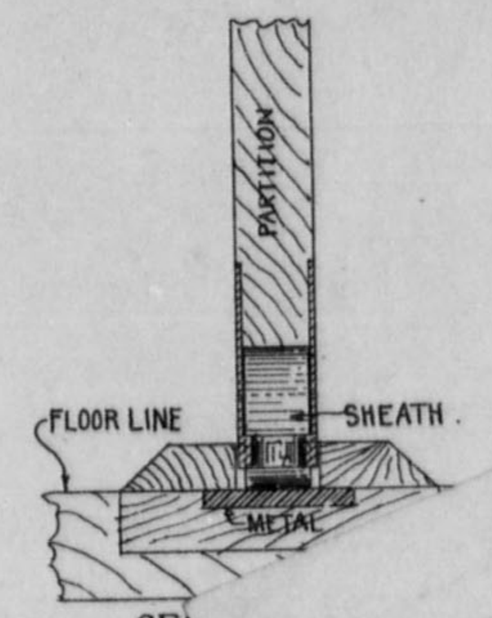


SECTION I
THRU VERTICAL ROLLER BOX.



SECTION "G"

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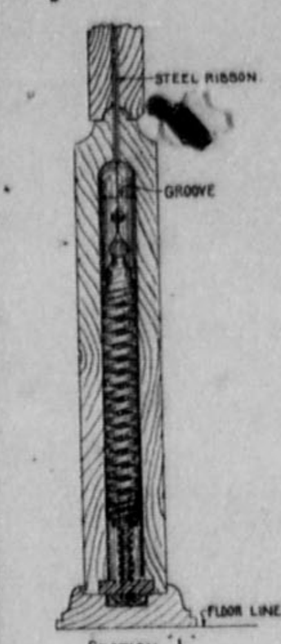
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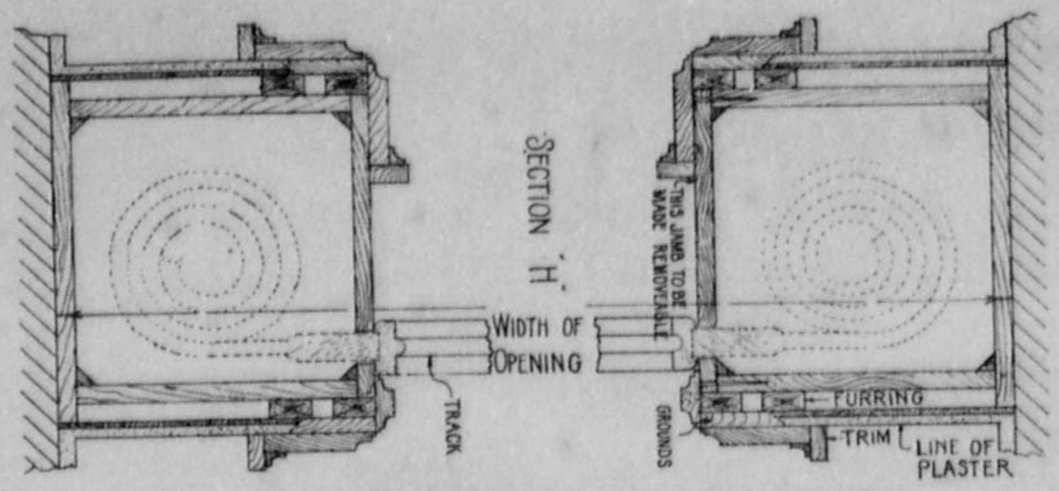
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SECTION 'L'.
BASEBOARD & ANCHOR SPRING.

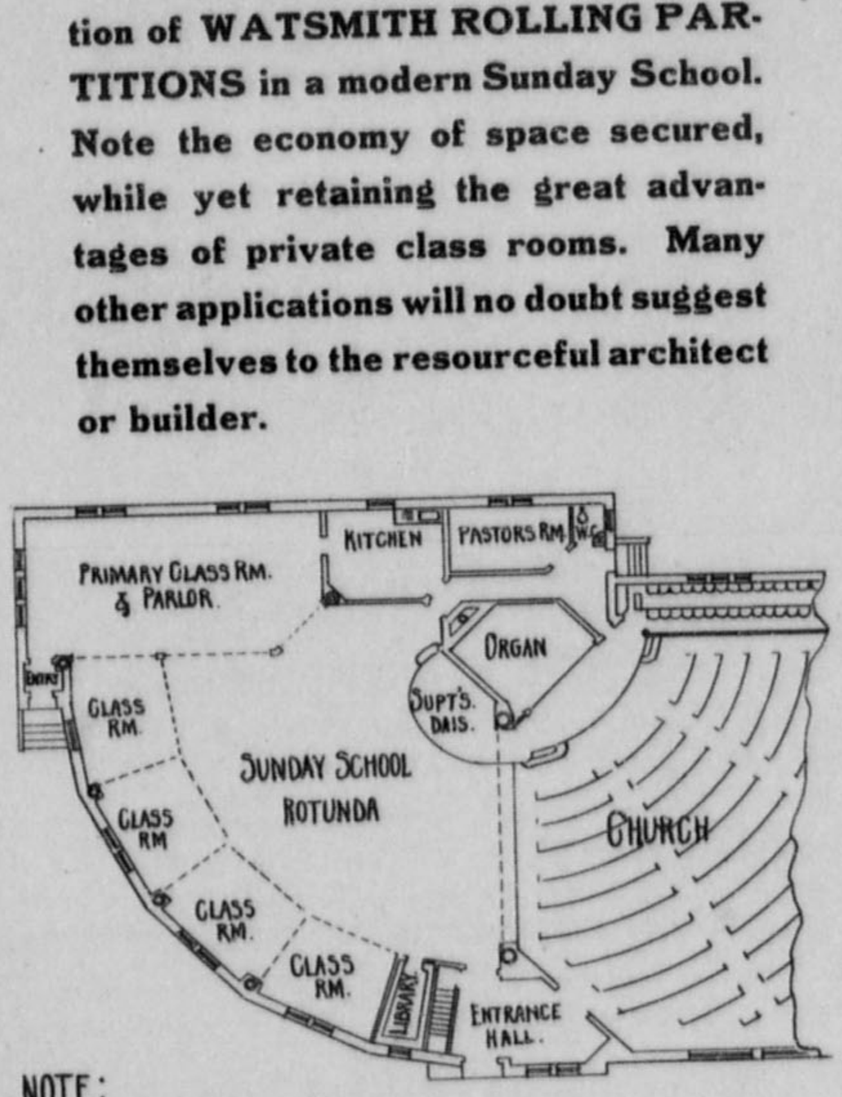
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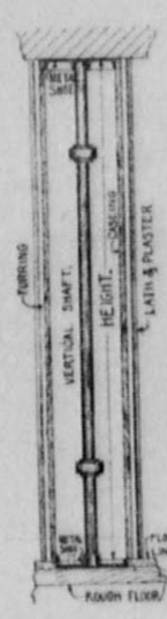


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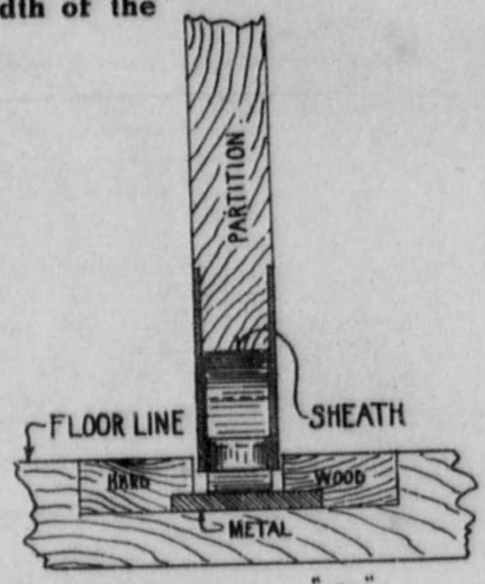
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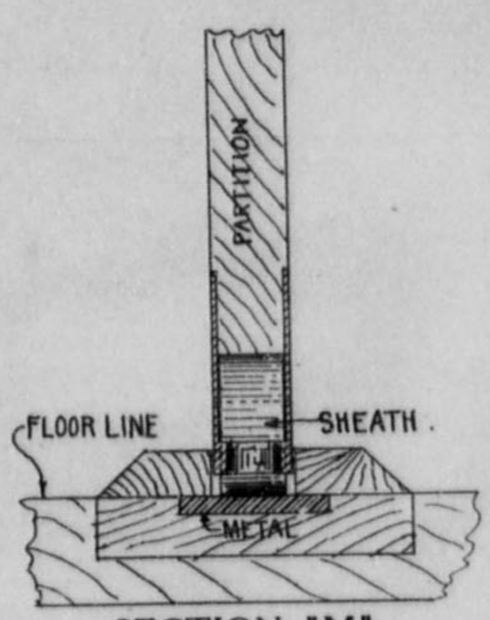


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THRU' VERTICAL ROLLER BOX.



SECTION "G"

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SECTION "M"

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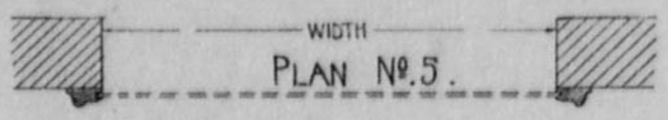
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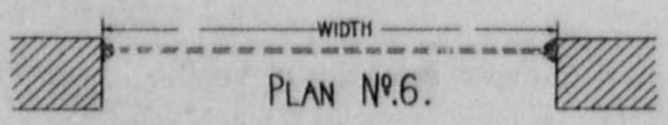
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HORIZONTAL ROLLING PARTITIONS

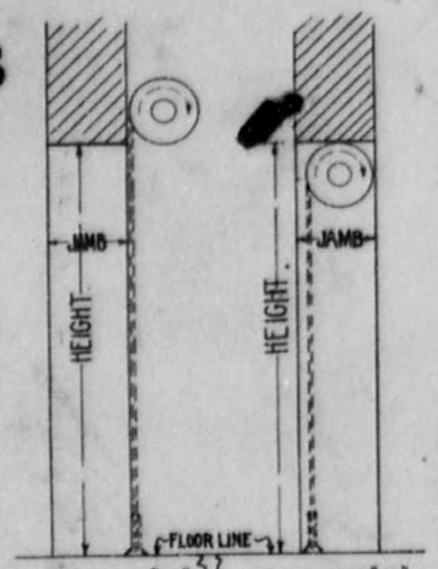
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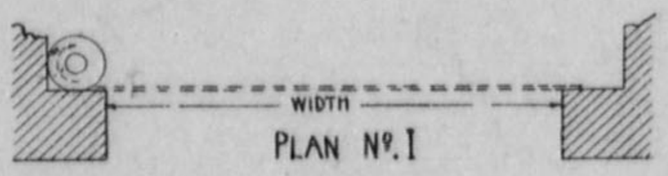
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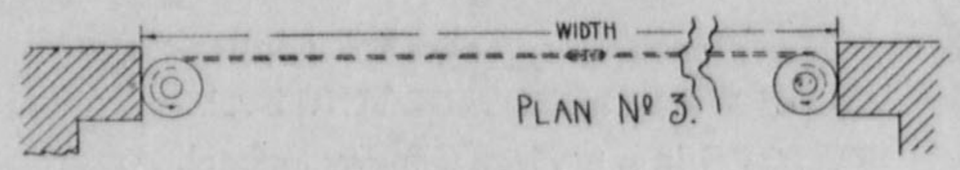
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VERTICAL ROLLING PARTITIONS

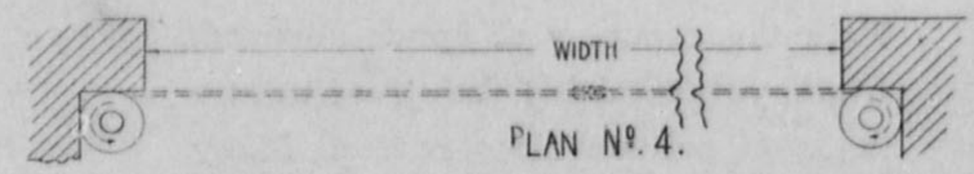
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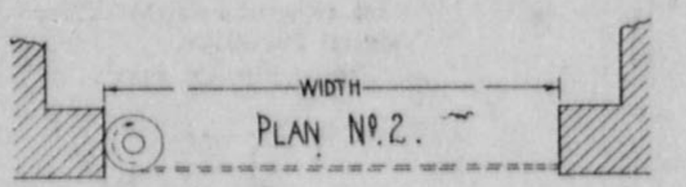
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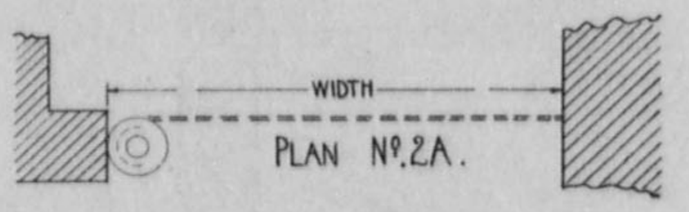
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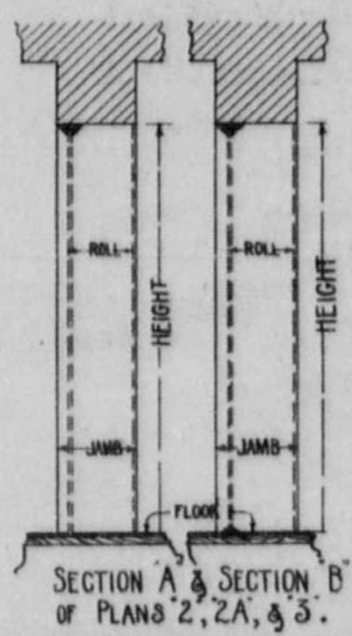
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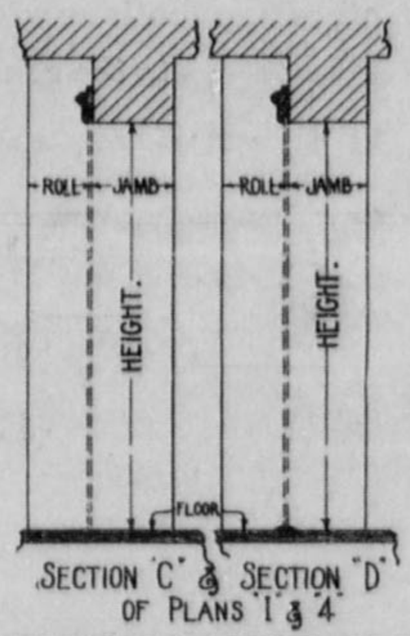
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PLAN Nº.2A.



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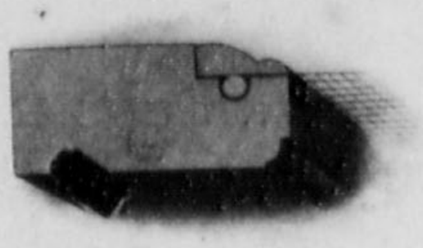
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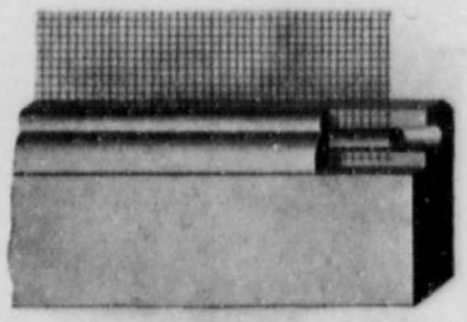
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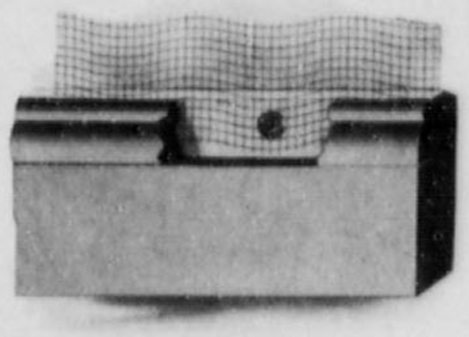
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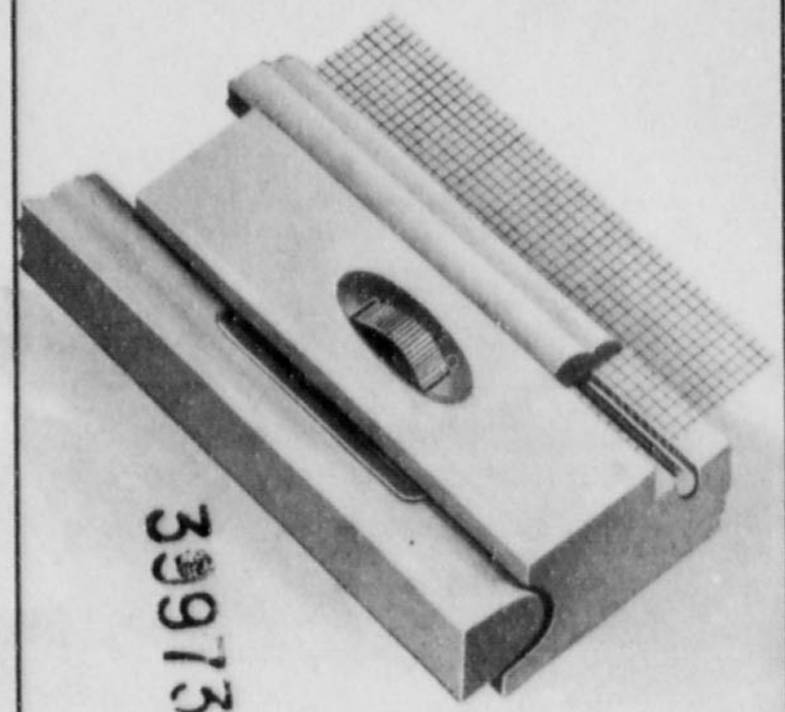
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Ottawa, March 11, 1912.

Gentlemen,-

Replying to your letter of the 7th instant I beg to say that the Department does not supply vacuum cleaners for use in its schools.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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Montreal, Que.

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Mem.

I estimate the approximate cost of the building for a school house at Golden Lake Ont Sta $ 3400.00 providing that this building is to be erected at a short distance from a railway station

D. C. Scott C.E.A.

Department of Indian Affairs
March 12th 1912.

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Ottawa, March 13th, 1913.

Sir:-

I have the honour to enclose you herewith for taxation an account rendered at $9.40, from the Ottawa Valley Journal. The clipping of the advertisement is attached to the account.

Your obedient servant,

Asst. Deputy & Secretary.

The King's Printer,
Ottawa, Ont.

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Records please file

Ottawa, March 13, 1912.

Gentlemen,-

Replying to your communication of the 11th instant I beg to say that tenders for the Golden Lake School-house should be sent to the Department not later than March 20th instant. I am enclosing herewith slips which will give you full information.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Tait & Devlin,
Contractors,
Eganville, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 13 1912

Eganville Feb 11th 1912

Dept of Indian Affairs

Ottawa

Dear Sirs 399357

As plans & specifications for School at Golden Lake have been handed to us we would like to know when tenders for same are to be opened

a prompt reply would greatly oblige

Yours truly

Jas J. Devine
Eganville

(Contractors)

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Ottawa, March 15, 1912.

Sir,-

In compliance with your request I beg to say that I am sending you, under separate cover, by registere d mail, copies of the plans and specification of the building it is proposed to erect for school purposes on the Golden Lake Reserve. I enclose herewith a copy of the advertisement in which you will find instructions as to tendering.

Your obedient servant,

has letter sent

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

R. J. Watson, Esq.,
Golden Lake Lumber Co.,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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ALED TENDERS addressed to the ersigned and marked on the envelope ender for school-house, Golden Lake," ill be received to noon of March 20, 912, for the c[illegible]ction of a frame school-house on t[illegible] Golden Lake Reserve, near Golden Lake Station, Ont.

Plans and Specifications may be seen at the Post Offices, Renfrew, Arnprior, Pembroke and Eganville, at the office of the Indian Agent, Killaloe Station, and at the Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank for ten per cent. of the amount of the tender, made payable to the order of the undersigned, which will be forfeited if the person or persons tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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J. D. McLEAN,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Feb. 15, 1912.



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Eganville, Ont. March 18 th. /12

Mr. J. D. McLean

Asst. Deputy and Secratary

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

We hereby beg leave to tender on the erection and completion of the proposed school on the Indian Reserve at Golden Lake, Ont.

We will furnish all material and do all labor including all trades, as per plans and specifications furnished for the same, to your entire satisfaction for the sum of TWO THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINE DOLLARS. ($ 2759.00).

Trusting that our tender may have your honorable consideration, which will have our carefull and prompt attention.

Enclosed please find our cheque for ($ 275.00).

We are

Yours truly,

Gait. Derlin

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AGENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 20 1912

St Andrew's East 9th March 1912.

Mr J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy and Secretary, dep. Ind. Affairs.

Sir,

I the undersigned agree to built the school house of Golden Lake Reserve, according to plans and specifications, for the sum of Three thousand and eight hundreds ($3800.00) dollars

Joseph Lalonde
contractor

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 20 1912

Tender,

For School-house, Golden Lake, Ont.

399793

I. John A. Gourley .. of the Town of Pembroke, County of Renfrew, Province of Ontario, do hereby agree to build at Golden Lake, on the Golden Lake Reserve, a school-house, including, Blackboard, Cloak-room, Basement, Furnace, Painting, Seating, and all fixtures, etc., according to plan and specifications submitted, leaving said school-house ready for occupation, for the sum of $3000 00 Dollars.

Enclosed please find certified cheque for the sum of $300 00 Dollars.

Yours respectfully,

JAC/AMG.

J. A. Gourley
367 Pembroke

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BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR
SNAKE RIVER
ONTARIO

Rec'd
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J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy & Sec.
Dept. of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.
Ont.

Tender for School House
Golden Lake.

Rec'd
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J. D. McLean, Esq.,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary,

Dept. Indian Affairs,

Ottawa, Ont.

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BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR
SNAKE RIVER
ONTARIO

Snake River, March 18 1912
ONTARIO

J. D. McLean. 399795
Asst. Deputy. & Sec. Indian Affairs
Ottawa

Dear Sir

I hereby offer to build, proposed School House, on Indian Reserve at Golden Lake. Complete. according to Plan, and Specifactions.

For the Sum of. Four. Thousand. One. Hundred. and. Sixty. Dollars $(4160.00)

I also inclose Check on Bank of Ottawa for Four. Hundred. Sixteen Dollars $(416.00)

Trusting this will meet with your approval. I am

Yours truly
John. Dennison.

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J.D.McLean Esq.,

Department of Indian Affairs,

Ottawa.

Tender for School House
Golden Lake.

O.H.M.S.

Tender for school House
"Golden Lake"

Asst. Deputy and Secretary
Department of Indian Affairs
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Ottawa, March 18, 1912.

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TENDER FOR SCHOOL HOUSE,

GOLDEN LAKE,

I, the undersigned, do hereby agree to build and furnish material and labor to finish school according to plans and specifications submitted by Indian Department at Ottawa for the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty Seven Dollars, ($3,227.00)

J. W. Featherston

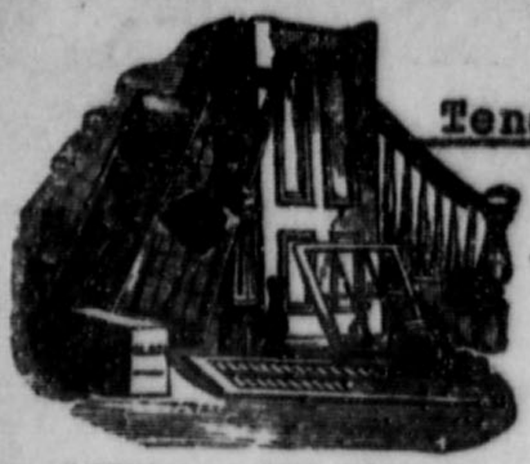
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Tender for school house Golden Lake.

Mr. J. D. McLean,

Asst. Deputy and Secretary,

Department of Indian Affairs,

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Mr. J. D. McLean

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Department of Indian Affairs.

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear sir:-

We hereby tender on the erection of the New proposed school on the Indian Reserve at Golden Lake.

We will furnish all material and do all labor as set forth in the specifications and plans prepared for the same, for the sum of TWO THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND SIXTY DOLLARS.

Trusting that our tender will have your consideration, Which shall have our carefull and prompt attention.

Enclosed please find certified cheque for the necessary amount.

We are

Yours truly,

REINKE & BOLAND,

Per R.G.Reinke

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, March 20, 1912.

Mr. Pedley,-

The Department has received six tenders for the erection of a new school building on the Golden Lake Indian Reserve as follows:-

Reinke & Boland, Eganville.	5	$2960.00
J. W. Featherston, 588 Gladstone Ave., Ottawa.	3	$3227.00
John Dennison, Snake River.	1	$4160.00
John A Gourley, Pembroke.	4	$3000.00
Joseph Lalonde, St. Andrews East.	2	$3800.00
Tait and Devlin, Eganville.	6	$2759.00

All these are accompanied by the necessary security cheque and I would recommend the acceptance of the lowest tender, that of Tait and Devlin for $2759.00 and that the cheques of the unsuccessful tenderers be returned. The estimated cost of this building was approximately $3400.00.

As Joseph's Lalonde's tender for the Whitefish Lake School was dependent upon his tender for the Golden Lake building being accepted I would recommend that both his cheques be returned and that new tenders be called for

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the Whitefish Lake building.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, March 21, 1912.

Mr. Pedley,-

A tender has been received from Mr. J. W. Kennedy, of Pembroke, for the erection of the proposed new school-house at Golden Lake. It only reached the Department this morning and the post mark on the envelope shows that it was mailed in Pembroke yesterday morning. Mr. Kennedy's tender is away below the estimated cost. Although no security cheque accompanied the tender the secretary informs me that one of the local banks phoned him to the effect that they would put up the security. As Mr. Kennedy's tender was not received on the date specified in the advertisement I would recommend that it be returned and that he be informed that it reached the Department too late for consideration. The file in reference to this school was sent you yesterday.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAR 21 1912

Tender for School House Goldon Lake Reserve

I hereby Tender for to build a School-House at Goldon Lake at the place described and accordeng to plans and Specifications to be seen at the Pembroke Post Office for the Sum of Twenty four Hundred dollars #2400 00

J H Kennedy
Contractor

Pembroke March 18th 1912

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Tenders for
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A. D. Secretary
Ottawa

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Mr Pedley
For decision as to tenders.

Ottawa, March 23, 1912.

Sir,-

I beg to advise you that your tender for the erection of the proposed new school building on the Golden Lake Reserve, Golden Lake, was received too late for consideration, as it only reached the Department on the 21st instant, the day after the other tenders were opened.

Your obedient servant.

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

J. W. Kennedy, Esq.,
Contractor,
Pembroke, Ont.

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Secretary Dept of Indian affairs.
Ottawa

Dear Sir

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I have today returned to You the plans & specifications for a proposed new school building at Golden Lake by registered mail.

Yours truly
H. M. McKenzy
acting Supt

Reserve

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Ottawa, March 28, 1912.

WITH CHEQUE.

Gentlemen,-

I beg to return herewith your security cheque for $296.00, being the deposit in connection with your tender for the erection of a school-house on the Golden Lake Indian Reserve, which was not accepted as it was not the lowest.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Reinke & Boland,
Eganville, Ont.

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Ottawa, March 28, 1912.

WITH CHEQUE.

Sir,-

I beg to return herewith your security cheque for $416.00, being the deposit in connection with your tender for the erection of a school-house on the Golden Lake Indian Reserve, which was not accepted as it was not the lowest.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

John Dennison, Esq.,
Builder and Contractor,
Snake River, Ont.

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Ottawa, March 28, 1912.

WITH CHEQUE.

Sir,-

I beg to return herewith your security cheque for $300.00, being the deposit in connection with your tender for the erection of a school-house on the Golden Lake Indian Reserve, which was not accepted as it was not the lowest.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

J. A. Gourley, Esq.,
Pembroke, Ont.

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Ottawa, March 28, 1912.

WITH CHEQUE.

Sir,-

I beg to return herewith your security cheque for $380.00, being the deposit in connection with your tender for the erection of a school-house on the Golden Lake Indian Reserve, which was not accepted as it was not the lowest.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Joseph Lalonde, Esq.,
Contractor,
St. Andrew's East, Que.

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6 letters
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Ottawa, March 28, 1912.

Gentlemen,-

I beg to advise you that the Department is recommending to His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council the acceptance of your tender for the erection of the Golden Lake School-house for the sum of $2759.00. As soon as approval is obtained a contract will be sent you for execution.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLean

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Tait & Devlin,
Eganville, Ont.

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MAR 28 1912

.....Proprietors DOMINION PLANING MILLS.....

Eganville, Ont. March 26 th. 1912

Mr. J. D. McLean
Asst. Deputy
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.,

400650

Dear sir:-

On the 18 th. inst we mailed you a tender for the erection of a school at Golden Lake, which was to opened on the 20 th. inst. but up to date have heard nothing re same.

Please let us know if we are the lucky tenderers and very much oblige,

Yours truly,

REINKE & BOLAND,
Per

R.G.R./G.

Under what date?

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Ottawa, 29th March, 1912.

His Royal Highness

The Governor General in Council.

The undersigned has the honour to report that, a new school-building being required on the Golden Lake Indian reserve, in the county of Rebfrew, in the province of Ontario, and money having been provided in the estimates for 1912-13, under the Vote for Indian Education, No. 310, tenders were called for, receivable up to the 20th day of March, 1912, and the following were received,-

John Dennison,	Snake River,	$4,160.00
Joseph Lalonde,	St. Andrew's, East,	3,800.00
J. W. Featherston,	Ottawa,	3,227.00
John A. Gourley,	Pembroke,	3,000.00
Reinke & Roland,	Eganville,	2,960.00
Tait & Devlin,	Eganville,	2,759.00

The undersigned would recommend, pursuant to the requirements of subsection 2 of section 36 of the Public Works Act, that the contract for the above mentioned school be awarded to the lowest tenderers, namely, Messrs. Tait & Devlin, for the amount of their tender, $2,759.00.

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D. C. Rogers
Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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Acceptance of tender for construction of new school-building, Golden Lake Reserve, Ont.

The old building is too small and is not well situated.

The necessary amount is included in the Vote for Indian Education in the Estimates for 1912-13 - Vote No. 310 for $745,490.00.

Sub-section 2 of section 36 of the Public Works Act requires the submission of the tenders to Council for the awarding of contract.

The tenders were duly advertised for.

Indian Affairs,
29 March, 1912.

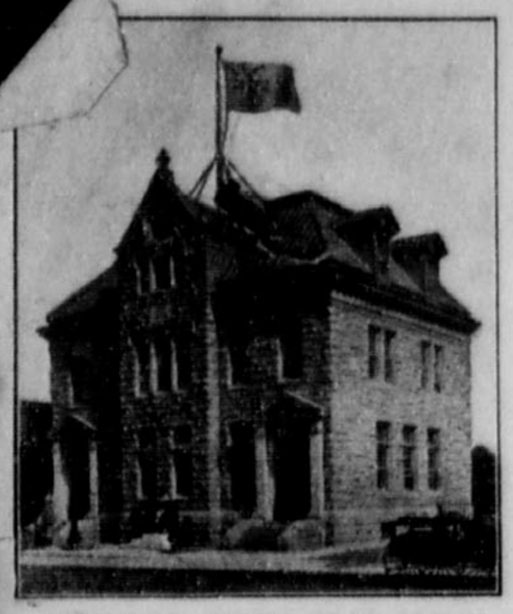
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APR 1 1912

400587

Renfrew, March 30th 1912.

CANADA

Dear Sir-

I have the honour to inform you that in accordance with yours of the 15th July I have this day returned to Secty Dept of Indian Affairs the plans & Specifications & proposed School Buildings at Golden Lake

Meanwhile I am

Yours &c

A. S. Wright
P.M.

Mr McLean
Asst Deputy & Secy
Indian Affairs
Ottawa

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT GENERAL.

OTTAWA. April 1st. 1912.

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
APR 2 1912

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MEMORANDUM

Secretary -

Please note that when the Department is in a position to utilize the services of an Inspector of the work during the progress of the Golden Lake School building, Mr. Rudolph Reinke of Egansville, Ont., is to be employed as Inspector.

D. S. G. I. A.

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Certified copy of a Report of the Committee of the Privy Council, approved by His Royal Highness the Governor General on the 2nd May 1912

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 4 1912

PRIVY COUNCIL
CANADA.

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Council
Re Goods
Schools

On a memorandum, dated 29th March, 1912, from the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, representing that, a new school-building being required on the Golden Lake Indian reserve, in the County of Renfrew, in the province of Ontario, and money having been provided in the estimates for 1912-13, under the Vote for Indian Education, No.210, tenders were called for receivable up to the 20th day of March, 1912, and the following were received:-

John Dennison,	Snake River,	$4,160.00
Joseph Lalonde,	St.Andrew's East,	3,800.00
J. W. Featherston,	Ottawa,	3,227.00
John A. Gourley,	Pembroke,	3,000.00
Reinke & Boland,	Eganville,	2,960.00
Tait & Devlin,	Eganville,	2,759.00;

The Minister recommends, pursuant to the requirements of subsection 2 of section 36 of the Public Works Act, that the contract for the above mentioned school be awarded to the lowest tenderers, namely, Messrs.Tait & Devlin, for the amount of their tender, $2,759.00.

The Committee submit the foregoing for approval.

Rodolphe Boudreau

Clerk of the Privy Council.

The Honourable
The Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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Ottawa, May 4, 1912.

Gentlemen,-

Referring to official letter of March 28th, last, I beg to say that the acceptance of your tender to erect the school-house on the Golden Lake Indian Reserve for the sum of $2759.00 has been approved of By His Royal Highness the Governor General in Council.

I am enclosing herewith contract, in duplicate, which you will be good enough to sign and return to the Department, when it will be executed by the Deputy Superintendent General and a copy returned to you. As soon as this is done instructions may be given to have the work proceeded with. Copies of the plans and specifications, marked "A" and "B" respectively, which are also to be signed by you, are sent herewith.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Tait & Devlin,
Eganville, Ont.

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D.M.
Sept. 1 Rep to
2 Acted
Secretary

Ottawa, May 4, 1912.

Sir,-

The Department desires to avail itself of your services as inspector on the new school-house which it is proposed to erect at Golden Lake, if satisfactory arrangements can be made. It is considered that you should visit this school twice each week during the time the work is in progress and the Department will allow you $5.00 per day and actual travelling expenses from Eganville to Golden Lake. Not more than one day should be occupied by each visit. If these terms are satisfactory to you be good enough to so advise the Department and you will be informed when you should make your xkx first visit to the school.

Your obedient servant,

D. C. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Rudolph Reinke, Esq.,
Eganville, Ont,

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Ottawa, May 7, 1912.

WITH CHEQUE.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith cheque for $275.90, being the security deposited by Messrs. Tait and Devlin who have the contract for the erection of a school for this Department on the Golden Lake Indian Reserve.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Deputy Minister,
Department of Finance,
Ottawa.

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J. D. McLean, Esq.,
Sec'y Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

We understand that tenders for the erection of a school house on Golden Lake Reserve were closed on March 20th.

You will greatly oblige by letting us know if contracts have been let and to whom.

We enclosed stamped envelope for your reply which will be much appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Asst. Manager

Enc.

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1 Rec'd
2 Acknowledged

ACCOUNTANTS
MAY 10 1912
STAFF

Ottawa, May 8, 1912.

Gentlemen,-

I have your communication of the 3rd instant and in reply I beg to return herewith the stamped envelope.

The contract for the erection of the school-house on the Golden Lake Reserve has not been signed and it is not the practice of the Department to give information such as you ask for.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

MacLean Daily Reports,
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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 8 1912

Agreement

made in duplicate the 7th day of May A.D. 1912.

Between His Majesty King George the Fifth, represented by the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs of Canada (hereinafter called the Superintendent General);

And Messrs. Tait & Devlin of the town of Eganville in the province of Ontario of (hereinafter called the Contractor).

The Contractor for himself, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, agrees to do in the most workmanlike manner all works and provide all the materials of the best kind shown in the drawings and described in the specifications marked "A" and "B" respectively and signed by the Contractor, and to complete, furnish and hand over to the Superintendent General or to some person by him appointed for that purpose, the frame school-house to be erected on the Golden Lake Indian Reserve near Golden Lake Station, Ontario

and all other work and labour incidental to and necessary for the entire completion thereof, whether specified or shown in the drawings or specifications or not, by the fifteenth day of August A.D. 1912

AND in consideration of the above agreement on the part of the Contractor, the Superintendent General hereby agrees to pay the said Contractor the sum of two thousand, seven hundred and fifty-nine dollars, provided always that the Superintendent General may at any time during the progress or after the completion or alleged completion of the work, appoint an Architect, Engineer or other officer, in which case the certificate of such Architect, Engineer or other officer, that the work is duly completed and of the amount, if any due, to the Contractor, after making such allowances for penalties and for defective or incomplete work, or for extras and deviations as the Architect, Engineer or other officer shall think fair, shall be a condition precedent to any claim by the Contractor under this contract.

AND the Contractor for himself, his executors, administrators and assigns, further covenants and agrees:—

1. That the wages to be paid in the execution of this contract shall be those generally accepted as current in each trade for competent workmen in the district where the work is carried on. If this condition is violated, the Superintendent General may cancel the contract and refuse to accept any work done thereunder.

2. That if the Contractor fails at any time to pay any account for any goods or materials supplied, or money advanced by anyone to the said Contractor for the purposes of this agreement, or to pay the account of any sub-contractor for any work or materials done or supplied for the said works to be constructed under this agreement, and such

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account is in either of such cases one month overdue, the Superintendent General may notify the Contractor to pay such account, and if a week elapse and the same be not paid in full, the Superintendent General may pay such account and may charge the same to the Contractor, and the Contractor covenants with the Superintendent General to repay at once any and every sum so paid.

3. That if the Contractor fails at any time in paying salaries or wages of any person employed by him upon or in respect of the said work, or any of them, and any part of such salary is one month in arrear, or if there be due to any such person one month's wages or salary, the Superintendent General may notify the Contractor to pay such salary or wages, and if two days elapse and the same be not paid in full up to date of payment, or to such other date as may be in accordance with the terms of employment of such person, then the Superintendent General may pay to such person his salary or wages from any date to any date and to any amount which may be payable, and may charge the same to the Contractor, and the Contractor covenants with the Superintendent General to repay at once any and every sum so paid.

4. That pursuant to the Statute in that behalf, this Agreement is made subject to the express condition that no member of the House of Commons of Canada shall be admitted to any share or part of this Agreement or any benefit to arise therefrom.

5. That the Contractor shall not assign, transfer or set over this contract or any interest therein to any person or persons whomsoever, without the consent, in writing, of the Superintendent General of Indian Affairs first had and obtained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, acting as aforesaid, and the said Tait & Devlin.
have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above mentioned.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of

L. George

Winfred Churchill

A D Tait

Chas Devlin

Deputy Superintendent General of Indian Affairs.

Samuel Eddis

As to the signature of the Deputy Superintendent General.

Deputy Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs.

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R. G. Reinke. Telephone No. 48 152205-5 Townley G. Boland

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MAY 10 1912

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MANUFACTURERS OF SASHES, DOORS, MOULDINGS, [illegible]GS, CLAPBOARDS, FLOORINGS, CEILINGS, CHURCH PEWS, OFFICE FURNITURE, ETC.

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.....Proprietors DOMINION PLANING MILLS.....

Eganville, Ont. May 9 th. 1912

Mr. J. D. McLean
Ottawa Ont.

403675

Dear sir-,

In reply to your esteemed favor # 152295/5 May the 4 th. 1912, appointing me as inspector of the building of the proposed school-house at Golden Lake.

Your terms are quite satisfactory to me. Kindly send me copies of Plans, specifications, agreements, and other instructions as to how often I will have to inform the department re progress of work etc.

Thanking you for this appointment, I am

Very truly yours

R. G. Reinke

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Ottawa, May 13, 1912.

Gentlemen,-

I beg to enclose herewith duplicate copy of the contract for the erection of the school-house on the Golden Lake Indian reserve duly executed by the Deputy Superintendent General, as well as a blue print of the reserve which will show you the location of the school building. I am also sending you, under separate cover, copies of the plans and specifications for your own use.

Your obedient servant,

D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Tait & Devlin,
Eganville, Ont.

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Ottawa, May 17, 1912.

Gentlemen,-

Referring to official letter of May 4th, last, I have to ask you to be good enough to forward to the Department the signed copies of the plans and specifications which were sent you on that date. You have been sent another set of the plans and specifications for your own use.

I would ask you also to let the Department know by return mail when you propose to start work on the building.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Messrs. Tait & Devlin,

Eganville, Ont.

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Ottawa, May 17, 1912.

Sir,-

Replying to your letter of the 9th instant accepting the position of inspector of the school building on the Golden Lake Reserve I beg to send herewith copies of the plans and specifications and also a blue print showing the location of the school on the lot. The contractors have not advised as yet when they will commence operations. As soon as the Department has this information you will be again written to.

With regard to your reports of progress I may say that the Department would like to have them weekly. Payment will be made to the contractors as the work progresses up to 80% of the total value of materials on the ground and labour performed. I am sending herewith blank forms which you will be good enough to use in making your progress certificates. These certificates should be in duplicate in each case.

Your obedient servant,

D. C. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

R. G. Reinke, Esq.,
Eganville, Ont.

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Eganville Ont. May 20 th. 1912

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 21 1912

Mr. J. D. McLean

Ottawa Ont.

Dear sir,- Re. Golden Lake School Contract.

We are in receipt of your favor of the 17 th. inst. and as requested we are returning plans duely signed.

In regard to the work we are in a position to start any time you will give us the stakes and levels and are very anxious to start on or about the 27 th. of this month. We wish you would send your man along any time to give us the stakes.

Yours very Truly.

TAIT & DEVLIN.

Per L. J. Devlin

SCHOOLS BRANCH
MAY 23 1912

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Ottawa May 23, 1912.

Gentlemen,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th instant, and in reply I beg to say that an officer of the Department will visit Golden Lake on Monday the 27th instant, reaching there about elemen o clock. a.m.

Kindly arrange to meet him.

Your obedient servant

[redacted]

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Messrs. Tait & Devlin
Eganville, Ont.

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Closed

Ottawa May 28, 1912.

Gentlemen,-

Referring to the enquiries made by your Mr Tait Of Mr MacKenzie of this Department yesterday I beg to say that the foundation of the walls of the Golden Lake School building may be built to the top of field stone, instead of cut stone as called for by the specifications, the exterior portion above ground to be finished with a coat of cement and blocked off.

The hot air pipes should be of tin instead of galvanized iron as called for by the specifications.

The hot air registers in the wall should be placed at the floor rather than where shown on the plan some six feet above the floor line.

The exit of the foul air duct in the chimney is not capped, but is left open.

The register to which you drew attention and for which there is not room between the windows on the south side of the building may be omitted. There will still be enough registers (five) to properly heat the room.

With regard to the fresh air intake as shown on page two, I beg to say that the floor of the vestibule should be seven inches below the floor of the school room and the intake register will then be placed vertically as shown on plan.

Your obedient servant

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary

Messrs. Tait & Devlin,
Eganville, Ont.

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Ottawa, May 28, 1912.

Sir,-

I beg to enclose herewith for your information a copy of a letter addressed today to Messrs. Tait & Devlin. As building operations on the Golden Lake School building are to commence at once you should undertake your duties as inspector next week. The terms upon which this work is to be done have already been agreed upon.

Your obedient servant,

[redacted] D.T.

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

R. G. Reinke, Esq.,
Eganville, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

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To Leona M. Schruder

Teacher

DATE.		SERVICE.	AMOUNT.	
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Dec	11	Prizes for distribution, pupils Golden Lake school at close of Christmas term,	5	00
		I certify that these prizes were purchased and that the prices are fair and just.		
		Leona M. Schruder Teacher		
		TOTAL,	$5	00

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that this Voucher is correct, that the material has been supplied, the work performed, and that the charges are fair and just; also that the expenditure has been incurred legitimately and that each item of the same is a fair and just charge against the Government of Canada.

A. F. MacKenzie

Agent

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Feb.	23	To advt. "Golden Lake" 4 ins. 2 times		~~$40~~	$3 05

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Correct at contract
C. H. Purnelle, K.C.

Per

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
MAY 31 1912

Ganonoque May 29th 12

Sirs:- 404725

Yours No 152205-5 of May 27th to hand, and Contents Noted.

We intend starting as soon as the weather will permit excavating.

We will also arrange things as stated in your letter of above Number

Yours Truly

Gail & Durkin

Assistant Deputy & Secretary

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R. A. JEFFERY, Editor and Proprietor.

"PRINTING THAT ATTRACTS."

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 5 1912

Arnprior, Ont., June 4th, 1912. 191

Dept of Indian Affairs, 404838

Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,-

We received a cheque today for Seven Dollars and five cents ($7.05) to pay for the advertisment "Tenders for School at Golden Lake", this advertisment occuping a space of 42 lines for two weeks making the amount $8.40 and the bill for this amount was, I think, mailed to you, if we are correct in this do you wish us to return the cheque that you may change it?

Yours truly,

RAJ :MH

Rec'd. The insertion
Say that The insertion
ad. Was ordered by the
vs Printing officer & that the
a/c was passed by that officer
at 7 05 which is evidently the
current rate for this ad.

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P.X.3

Ottawa, 8th June, 1912.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 4th instant, regarding the cheque recently sent you for advertising for teniers for the building of a school at Golden Lake; I beg to say that the insertion of the advertisement was authorized by the Government Printing Office, and your account was taxed by that office for payment at $7.05. Evidently you have been paid at the correct rate. I may add that all accounts for advertising are taxed previous to payment.

Your obedient servant,

F. D. MCLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

The Manager,
Arnprior Chronicle,
Arnprior, Ont.

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J. D. McLean, Secy Bd Edu

June 6th, 1912.

Ottawa,

405200

Ont., Can.

Dear Sir:-

If you will kindly fill out the inclosed postal and mail to us, we shall appreciate it very much.

You want modern furniture in your new school building.

We think the Sanitary Steel Adjustable Students' desks and the Sanitary Steel Teachers' Desks are to be preferred over all others, although we make several other kinds.

We would like the privilege of placing before the proper committee full information on the steel furniture and will gladly send a sample if desired.

Thanking you in advance for filling out the card, we are,

Very truly yours,

Columbia School Supply Company.

J C Moore

HG/EH

SCHOOLS BRANCH
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Ottawa, June 14, 1912.

Gentlemen,-

Replying to your communication of the 6th instant I beg to say that the Department purchases all furnishings for its schools from Canadian manufacturers.

Your obedient servant,

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Columbia School Supply Co.,
Indianapolis, Ind.,
U. S. A.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUN 12 1912

Eganville, Ont. June 8 tH, 1912

Mr. J. D. McLean
Dept. Indian Affairs
Ottawa Ont.

Dear sir,-

Progress Report of School Building at Golden Lake.

Your contractors started work on thw above school on Wednesday June the 5 th. with a force of five men and one team of horses and have done the biggest part of the e excavating.

I am

Yours obedient Servant.

R.G.R./G. R. G. Reinke

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FURNITURE, ETC.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 14 1912

Golden Lake, Ont., June 11 1912

A. F. Mackenzie
Dept of Indian Affairs
Ottawa.

Dear Sir,

There is an order for $20.00 for Clothes for Angus Vincents Children not paid yet, Also the last Load of firewood for the Indian School 1½ Cord at 1.50 Miss Schroeder the teacher refered me to you as the right party to look after it since there is no Indian Agent here. I enclose Bill for all.

Yours truly
F. Hugli.

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Golden Lake. Ont.. June 14 1912

No. Martin Mullin Indian agency
for Indian Relief 405554

... Bought of **FRED. HUGLI, - -**

-- DEALER IN --

Groceries, Provisions, Dry-Goods, Crockery, Etc.

ACCOUNTS DUE WHEN RENDERED.

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Febr	14	Clothes for Angus Vincents Children	20.00	
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Golden Lake February 14 1912

Mr F Hinchie sir give the
Bearer Leona McSchroder the sum
of Twenty dollars worth of clothing for
Angus Vincents children to attend
School and oblige yours truely

Morton Bullen Indian agent

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 22 1912
EXPEDITED

Eganville, Ont. June 21 st. 1912

405843

Mr. J. D. McLean

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa Ont.

Dear sir,-

Re school house at Golden Lake.

In laying out the piers in the basement and the flue I could not see where you intended to enter the smoke pipe from the furnace into the flue, as the running beam rests on a pier in the centre of the flue in which place I think the smoke pipe should enter. Thinking that this is an oversight of your draftsman I instructed the contractors to put the running beam out of the centre enough to allow the smoke pipe, to entre the chimney. Kindly look into the matter and let me know at once if this is allright. When your Mr. McKenzie was here some days ago he was showing me where he intended to build a drain from the basement of the school house and as the contractor have quite a few men there at present I think that the present would be the cheapest time to build this drain. The drain will be one hundred and eighty-five feet long on an average of about four feet deep and layed with six inch salt glazed sewer tile and would cost in the neighborhood of two hundred dollars, as the land is pretty stony and very hard to dig.

Trusting to hear from you by return mail.

I am Your obedient servant. R. G. Reinke

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Ottawa, June 24, 1912.

Ex'd

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th instant addressed to Mr. MacKenzie of this Department, with which you enclosed an account for clothes supplied to the children of Angus Vincent of the Golden Lake Reserve and also for one and h half cords of wood supplied to the school.

In view of the fact that there is at present no Agent I have to ask you to be good enough to hav e the teacher, Miss Schruder, certify on this account that the goods have been received and that the prices are fair and just, both in the case of the clothes and the wood. You should make the account out in duplicate and when it is received in this form the question of payment will be dealt with.

Your obedient servant,

J.D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

F. Hugli, Esq.,
Merchant,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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Ottawa, June 24, 1912.

EXD

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant, and in reply I beg to say that the Department approves of your action in moving the running beam sufficiently out of the centre of the building to allow the smoke pipe to enter the chimney from the front. It was, however, the intention of the architect that the furnace would be set to one side of the building ~~thus~~ and that the smoke pipe would enter the flue from the side.

With regard to the drainage, which was discussed by yourself, the contractor and Mr. MacKenzie, I beg to say that the architect who prepared the plans states that he does not consider that it will be necessary to provide drainage as, if the cellar is constructed carefully according to the plans and specifications, it will be absolutely waterproof. It is thought, however, that it might be well to place an outlet pipe six inches in diameter under the foundation in case drainage is found to be necessary at a later date. This will preclude the necessity of the cutting of the wall and the concrete floor should such a contingency arise. This pipe should be carefully closed at the outer end.

I have to ask you to be good enough to report a few days in advance of the final completion of the cellar walls

R. G. Reinke, Esq.,
Eganville, Ont.

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walls and floor and before the filling is put in around the outside and withhold the filling until such time as you receive further instruction.

I am sending you herewith blue print of a plan for two closets and I have to ask you to be good enough to obtain from the contractors a price for the erection of these buildings in connection with this school.

Your obedient servant,

[redacted]

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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GEO. GUNHAM

TELEPHONE MAIN 3567

E. T.

Toronto School Supply Company

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DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 24 2
DEPARTMENT

TORONTO, June 21, 1912.

EXCELSIOR
406236
SCHOOLS BRANCH
JUN 26 1912

Mr. J. D. McLean, Secty.,
Dept. of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir:

We understand that the Dept. of Indian Affairs, are building a new school, and no doubt you will be wishing for new blackboards.

We are the agents for the Excelsior Slate Company, and are supplying the very best grade of slate blackboard on the market, and we are, also, agents for the Kraoplate Composition blackboard, which is second only to the slate itself. We have supplied over fifteen thousand square feet of the slate blackboard to the Toronto School Board, as well as the large quantity of Kraoplate Composition blackboard.

We are enclosing, herewith, a stamped envelope and would consider it a favor if you would write us, letting us know if the Board are supplying the blackboards, themselves, or who has the contract for doing so. If you are supplying them and will let us know the quantities, which you will require, we will be pleased to quote you our best net prices.

Yours respectfully,

TORONTO SCHOOL SUPPLY COMPANY.

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CHAS. DEVLIN

TAIT & DEVLIN

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUIN 29 1912

406278

P. O. Box 91.

Eganville, June 24 1912

ONT.

Dear Sir

could ajou kindly let us have the Old School House during vacation for Sleeping Quarters

Yours Truly
A Bligh
Tait & Devlin
Per C. Devlin

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TAIT & DEVLIN

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUN 29 1912

P.O. Box 91.

Eganville June 24 1912

ONT.

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EX'D

Dear Sir

In regard to outlet from Cellar Spoken of by your Mr. McKenzie will require in the neighbor of 200 lineal Ft to connect with Railway Drain at an average depth of 4' at a Cost of $8.00 Per Ft. Complete. You can understand this ground is a hard Pan. full of large Boulders right through

Kindly advise us at once

& A Blair

Tait & Devlin

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CERTIFICATE.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Eganville Ont. June 26 th 1912

Certificate No. 1

$ 800.00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that Messrs Tait & Devlin

ha ve supplied material and performed labour on Indian School

Golden Lake Reserve

contract for Material and work entitling them

to an 80 % payment of One Thousand dollars

Certificate No.	1.	$ 800.00		Contract,	$
"	" 2.			Extras,	
"	" 3.			"	
"	" 4.			"	
"	" 5.			"	
"	" 6.			Total,	

Labour and material in building at first certificate.....				$
"	additional at 2nd	"	.....	
"	"	3rd	"	.....
"	"	4th	"	.....
"	"	5th	"	.....
"	to complete contract $.....			

(Signature) R. S. Reinke
Inspector.

Received payment.....

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.....Proprietors DOMINION PLANING MILLS..... 406133

Eganville, Ont. June 26 th. 1912

Mr. J. D. McLean

Ottawa Ont.,

EXD.

Dear sir.-

Re schoolm house at Golden Lake.

Enclosed please find estimate certificate number one in duplicate for $800.00. The contractors will have the foundation finished and floor joists on by the end of this week and would like to do the filling around the outside.

The sellar floor will not be done until the roof is on the building so that any instructions that you may have re filling in around the outside other than those specified I wish you would send them at once so that I could allow the contractors to fill in for their convenience in working around the building.

Yours truly.

R. G. Reinke

Inspector.

Sent July 2 nd

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Ottawa, June 27, 1912.

Gentlemen,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st instant in reference to blackboards for a new school.

It is presumed that you have reference to the Golden Lake School; if so, the furnishing of blackboards is part of the contract. I may inform you that the contractors for this building are Messrs. Tait & Devlin of Deanville.

I return herewith your stamped envelope.

Your obedient servant,

D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

Toronto School Supply Co.,
35 Wellington St., West,
Toronto, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS CANADA

Ottawa, June 28, 1912.

E.D.

Mr. McLean,-

You will see from the letter of the Inspector of the Golden Lake School below that they are ready to do the filling around the foundation walls. The work on this foundation is of very great importance and in letter of June 24th the Inspector was instructed to advise the Department in advance of the final completion and withhold the filling in around the walls until such time as he received further instructions. The idea at the time this letter was written was that Mr. Chene should visit this school. He could leave tomorrow morning and return in the evening. If this cellar is properly constructed Mr. Chene states that it will not be necessary to do any drainage, otherwise it may cost us about $200.00 for drainage at a later date. I would, therefore, recommend that Mr. Chene go up tomorrow.

A.F.M

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Ottawa, June 28, 1912.

R. G. Reinke,
Eganville, Ont.

EX'D

Architect will visit Golden Lake at eleven o'clock to-morrow Saturday.

J. D. McLean.

Charge to Dept. of I.A.

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Ottawa, July 5, 1912.

H.D.

Sir,-

Referring to the last paragraph of official letter of June 24th, last, in regard to the closets at the Golden Lake School I beg to say that it will not be necessary for you to obtain a price for these closets as they are included in the original specifications.

Your obedient servant,

[redacted]

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

R. G. Reinke, Esq.,
Eganville, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JUL 18 1912

Eganville, Ont. July 16 th. 1912

407607

Mr. J. D. McLean
Parliament Buildings
Ottawa Ont.

Dear sir,-

In reply to your favor of the 5 th. inst I beg to inform you that your contractors Messrs Tait & Devlin claim that they had no specifications or plans to figure from, (for the closets) at the time they figured on the school and consequently could not figure on them.

In my letter of May the ninth I asked you for a copy of the agreement and also a copy of the tender these would put me in a better position to speak to them.

Re the progress of the work.

I might say that the building is up the roof on and almost shingled. They are now working with a force of four men.

I am yours respectfully

R. G. Reinke

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EXD

Ottawa, July 24, 1912.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant in reference to the erection by Messrs. Tait and Devlin of closets in connection with the Golden Lake School.

In reply I beg to say that the specifications call for the erection of closets and some allowance must have been made by the contractor for this purpose. You have before you the blue print of a plan of a closet approved by the Department and I have to ask you to obtain from the contractors a net price for the erection of this after making the reduction of such a sum as they made allowance for when submitting their tender.

The Department does not see how a copy of the contract, which is simply a written agreement to construct the building according to the plans and specifications for the price mentioned, or the tender, which was simply a written ~~xx~~ offer to do the work for a specified sum, would be of any assistance to you in this matter.

The Department is pleased to learn that the work on the building is progressing satisfactorily.

Your obedient servant,

R. G. Reinke, Esq.,
Eganville, Ont.

N. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS JUL 29 1912

.....Proprietors DOMINION PLANING MILLS.....

Eganville. Ont. July 27 th. 1912

Mr. J. D. McLean
Dept. Indian Affairs
Ottawa Can.

I.D. 408093

Progress report of School Building at Golden Lake.

Dear sir,-

The above school is now shingled, clapboarded, corniced and the flues built. Yours contractors are working with a force of five men and expect to have the building ready for plastering by Thursday next. The painter is starting work on Tuesday next to paint the outside of the building. Kindly send us instructions of what color you wish to have the outside of the building painted, please do this at once and

very much oblige

Yours truly

R. G. Reinke

Inspector of above school

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Ottawa, July 30, 1912.

I.X'D.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 27th instant, and in reply I beg to say that the Department is glad to learn that such good progress is being made in the erection of the Golden Lake School building.

With regard to the painting, the outside of the building should be painted a light gray.

Your obedient servant,

D McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

R. G. Reinke, Esq.,
Eganville, Ont.

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Ottawa, August 1, 1912.

I.X'D.

Sir,-

Referring to your repr esentation that you have an account against the Department for some work done in repairing the Golden Lake School building I beg to say that you should have this account prepared in detail and forwarded to the Department certified to by the Agent, Mr. Patrick Rankin.

With regard to the blue print showing the site of the new school, which was forwarded to the Department sometime ago I beg to say that this was returned to the late Agent, Mr. Mullin, and you should apply to his family for it.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy amd Secretary.

Chief Matthew Bernard,
Golden Lake, Ont.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

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DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
AUG 3 1912

Eganville Ont 2 Aug. 1912.

ACCOUNTANTS
AUG 6 1912
BRANCH

Certificate No. 2

$ 800.00

I HEREBY CERTIFY that Tait & Devlin

have supplied material and performed labour on Indian School

Golden Lake Reserve

contract for material and work entitling them

to a 80% payment of Two thousand dollars

Certificate No. 1.	$800.00	Contract,	$2759.00
" " 2.	800.00	Extras,	
" " 3.		"	
" " 4.		"	
" " 5.		"	
" " 6.		Total,	

Labour and material in building at first certificate		$1000.00
" additional at 2nd	"	1000.00
" " 3rd	"	
" " 4th	"	
" " 5th	"	
" to complete contract $		

(Signature) R. L. Reinke
Inspector.

Received payment

Tait & Devlin
advance $800 on
Recommended for Payment
Approved
F. C. [illegible]
Inspector
Recommended for payment
$800 on account
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H.J.
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Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, 30/7 1912

Memo/

A copy of the "Ad." should be attended to this account and sent direct to the King's Printer — When he certifies to the account it will be paid by this Dept.

F. H. Paget
Acct

3228/ A similar account was certified & sent to your Dept for payment. on May 28/12. Should that account have gone astray, I send you herewith a similar account certified, which should be paid provided the first one has not been paid.

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on envelope "Tender for school-house, Golden Lake," will be received up to noon of March 20, 1912, for the construction of a frame school-house on the Golden Lake Reserve, near Golden Lake Station, Ont.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Post Offices, Renfrew, Arnprior, Pembroke and Eganville, at the office of the Indian Agent, Killaloe Station, and at the Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank for ten per cent of the amount of the tender, made payable to the order of the undersigned, which will be forfeited if the person or persons tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

The unauthorized insertion of this advertisement in any newsaaper will not be paid for.

J. D. McLEAN,
Asst. Deputy and Secretary.
Department Indian Affairs.
Ottawa, February 15, 1912.

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JUL 29 1912

ARNPRIOR, ONT., July 24th, 1912. 191

M The Ottawa Government,

Dept. of Indian Affairs,

~~468392~~

Acct

to Mr Pugsley

Feb.	23	To 42 lines, 2 times, "Golden Lake"	~~$ 8 40~~ $ 7 05

3228 47/2

Duplicate Certification

CR 172 Sent. May 31/12

Correct at Contract Rates.
C. H. Parmelee K. P. & C. S.
Per Macland A.C.

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Ottawa, August 12th, 1912.

Sirs:-

The Department is in receipt of a duplicate of your account rendered in March 30th, 1912, for advertising " Golden Lake," and in reply I beg to state that this account was paid by Department's cheque No. 172, sent you on the 1st June last.

I may say, however, that this account which was rendered at $8.40 was taxed by the King's Printer to $7.05 and paid at that figure.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Assistant Deputy and Secretary.

The Arnprior Chronicle,

Arnprior,

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SCHOOLS BRANCH AUG 22 1912

Egansville, Ont. Aug. 17 1912

Mr. J. D. McLean

Department of Indian Affairs

Ottawa, Can.

ACCOUNTANTS AUG 26 1912 BRANCH 409448

Dear Sir,--

Re Progress of School at Golden Lake.

The first coat of plaster is being put on and will be ready for the finishing coat on Monday next. The painters are at work on the outside of the building and the carpenters started on the closets yesterday.

In regard to the closets I might say that I cannot see how the sand is going to get out of the sand box into the right place. Would you kindly have architect draw a small detail and a little specification explaning how he intended to have the sand work.

Trusting that you will let me have this explanation at your earliest convenience.

I remain

Yours truly,

R. G. Reinke

R.G.R./G..

DEPT. OF INDIAN AFFAIRS AUG 29 1912 ACCOUNTANT

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H.X.D.

Ottawa, August 26, 1912.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th inst. in reference to the closets in connection with the Golden Lake school.

In reply I beg to say that the sand or dry earth is supposed to be deposited in the box with a shovel. It is considered advisable to place this sand box on the floor at the side instead of where shown on the plan. It should be as large as possible, not to crowd the space, and should have a hinged lid.

The Department is awaiting a reply to its letter of July 24 in reference to the price for the erection of these two buildings.

Your obedient Servant,

[redacted]

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

R. G. Reinke, Esq.,
Eganville, Ont.

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Eganville, Ont. Aug. 28 th. 1912

ACCOUNTANTS 4?0655 SEP 1912 BRANCH

Mr. J. D. McLean
Parliament Buildings
Ottawa Can.

Dear sir,-

In reply to your favor # 15220/5 August 26 th. regarding the water closets at Golden Lake I might say that the contractors claim they did not figure anything on these buildings as they had no plans to figure from. The price they ask is 35.00 dollars but I cut them down to 30.00 dollars each making 60.00 $ for the twp buildings.

Trusting that this is satisfactory.

I remain

Yours truly

R. G. Reinke

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Ottawa, September 3, 1912.

E.D.

Sir,-

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th ultimo in further reference to the erection of closets in connection with the Golden Lake School.

In reply I beg to say that the Department does not understand how the contractors for this building did not figure on any closets when they are particularly specified in the last paragraph of page 14 of the specifications. That portion of the specifications shows that these closets were to be built according to detail, which would naturally be furnished at a later date. While the plans now submitted by the Department may be more elaborate than would be ordinarily expected, the Departmentis prepared to make some allowance for them, but, in view of the specifications, it must require the contractors to state a figure such as they consider necessary to erect closets that might meet the requirements of the school.

Your obedient servant,

J. D. McLEAN

Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

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Eganville, Ont.

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